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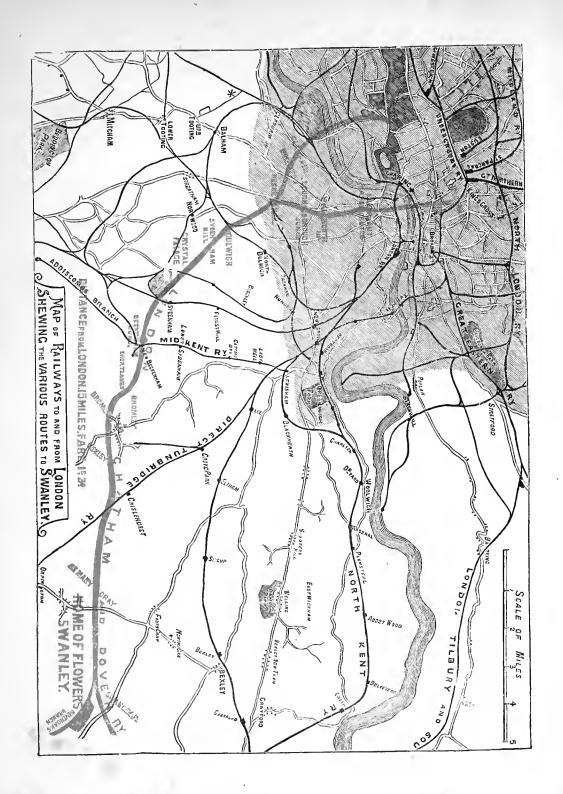
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We have received more Prizes and Certificates of Merit,
probably, than any other Firm for
"EXCELLENCY OF FLOWERS."



LABORATE Catalogues are the prevailing fashion, and in no business does it seem so necessary as in gardening; but competition is so keen, that the business done is barely remunerative; the outlay is much out of proportion, and again, as a rule, they are often carelessly misplaced, and many appropriate the information we give to their own benefit without ever thinking of us or the cost; under these circumstances we hope we shall not be considered out of place in submitting the following:—

The cost of printing 54,000 Catalogues is £792; postage, about £332; engravings and other innumerable incidental expenses bring the amount to above £1,300 per annum, which is



a serious item in any business. We, therefore, trust to our readers' generous response to our Trade Motto for the mass of valuable information, fully and freely given, to enable us to continue it in its present explanatory form, for nowhere does the good old adage apply more forcibly than in this case: "A number can assist one, but it is ruinous for one to help

many." We do our best to keep our customers correctly informed on all popular and useful flowers and vegetables, thus adding a charm, pleasure, and profit for every lover of the garden.

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A COMFORT EVERYWHERE.

R. R. Smellie, Esq., Mornilyan Plantation, Mornilyan Harbour, Northern Queensland, November 1st.

On leaving Brisbane three months ago for this Plantation, during our sugar harvesting, I find the only book my lady people packed in my portmanteau was your Floral Guide for 1886. I have carefully perused it over and over again, and must say it contains an immense amount of information, and nicely arranged. Although an anateur florist for 40 years (I commenced it when a boy), it is the best Catalogue I have met with. Send me the amnexed order.

All the plants and seeds mentioned in this Catalogue are in readiness, at all seasons, to be sent to any part of the world on receipt of the price stated (see prices, &c., following), adding one-third extra for India, China, Australia, and New Zealand, when extra strong plants must be selected to outlive the voyage; any other Flowers not herein mentioned will also be supplied at their fair and proper prices.

PRICES AT WHICH PLANTS, ROOTED CUTTINGS, & CUTTINGS ARE SOLD.

All prices herein denote plants established in pots, and the style of packing of such should be left to us, the material only being charged for; or, if desired, the soil can be shaken away, and nearly all plants sent by Letter or Parcels Post. The following are supplied as rooted cuttings and cuttings, viz.:—Ageratums, Antirrhinums, Bouvardias, Calceolarias (Shrubby), Chrysanthemums (new varieties, cuttings half price), Coleus, Dahlias, Fuchsias, Heliotropiums, Lantanas, Pansies, Pentstemons, Petunias, Phloxes, Salvias, Tropæolums, Verbenas, Veronicas, and Violas. Plants priced 6d., a rooted cutting would be 4d., and a cutting 2d.

Zonal and other Pelargoniums differ only in price thus—if priced 1s., rooted cuttings will be 9d., and cuttings 6d., also sent by post, and so on in proportion to the price of the plant.

Plants sent by post, without soil, up to the limited weight, to all parts of the world.

BOXES AND POSTAGE AT ACTUAL COST.



See how to Manage Plants and Cuttings by Post, at page 300.



Our Postal alterations surprise many—first it was Swanley, Dartford, then Chislehurst, afterwards St. Mary Cray; now it is Swanley only. These many changes have been in consequence of the pressure and great increase in our business.

Please note address:-

H. CANNELL & SONS, SWANLEY, KENT.

H FEW WORDS OF THANKS TO OUR PATRONS.

We are sure that we ought to be, and we are, very thankful to our customers for all orders and favours, but our thousands of patrons from all parts, who call to see and enjoy "The Home of Flowers," say, and say it heartily, "it is we who are grateful for the many lovely flowers that you recommend and send, and we so much enjoy, such as we never had or saw before." All this we need hardly say delights us, but what should we do, and our upwards of a hundred employés do, if it were not for the generous support of our kind patrons sending their orders and remittances from time to time? For this support we are, and shall for ever be, grateful, and we pray all will accept our heartiest thanks and best wishes.

TWO CATALOGUES.

Frequently we have sent our old and much-esteemed enstomers two copies, many of whom have forwarded them to their friends, but some have besitated and written us to ask if they might post them on to an acquaintance. This is a trouble—re-direction and reposting, 3d.—and to save this we kindly ask our enstoners to slip the addresses of those friends on a card to us, so that the Catalogues may go direct. We hope that all real lovers of the garden and good flowers will not fail to send their friends' addresses, so that we may further extend our business, and their friends' success, happiness, and interest in their gardens.

The following engraving illustrates one of our stands of 12 distinct bunches of Double Begonias which were exhibited and caused the greatest surprise and astonishment from one end of the United Kingdom to the other.



NEW AND RARE PLANTS.

The year 1888 will long be remembered for its several very important novelties in flowers. What we are offering are such as our greatest critics will hail with much pleasure and admiration. We have had many additional visitors from all parts of the world, and it has given us great pleasure to hear their many expressions of satisfaction.

NEW SINGLE BEGONIAS.

H. CANNELL & SONS' OWN RAISING AND DESCRIPTIONS.

The finest and most distinct set ever sent out.

NEW SINGLE BEGONIAS.

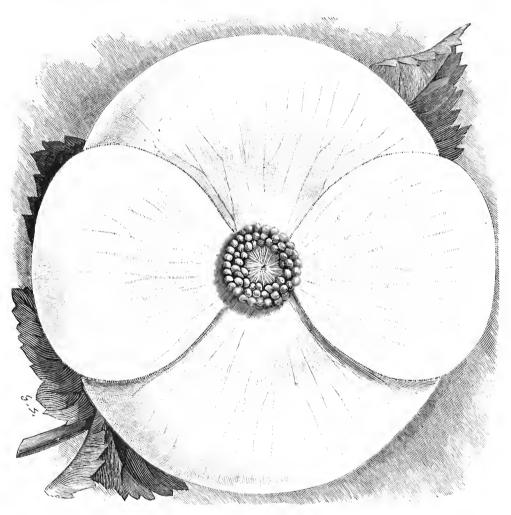
EXCELSIOR—Quite a distinct shade of colour, clear madder, very bright yellow centre, medium-size, but well-formed flowers.

FAIRY QUEEN—In this we have a very delicate coloured variety, and forming into well-formed bushy plants, covered with medium-sized white flowers, neatly edged pink.

LORD BYRON-A fine improvement in this class; rich red, fine shaped flowers; good substance, dwarf and free.

MR. CULLINGFORD-Of a pleasing and attractive shade of soft rosy red, fine bold flowers; distinct.

MRS. MILNER—A very pretty variety, and bound to give satisfaction; medium-size flowers of a pleasing shade of soft pink, shading off lighter towards centre; very free; grand for decoration.



MRS. SHEPPHARD.

MRS. SHEPPHARD—The finest pure white we have seen; flowers from 5 to 5½ inches across, of the most beautiful circular form; quite erect flowering; fine dwarf, branching habit; a grand variety. 10s. each.

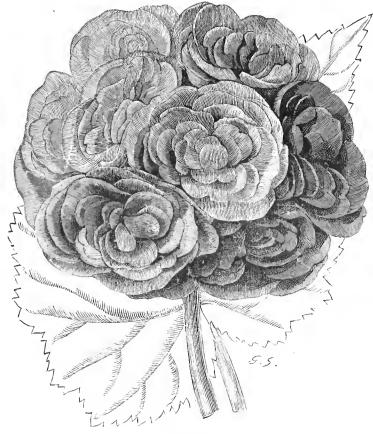
NORMA-As regards size it is one of the largest yet introduced, frequently measuring over 6 inches across; reddish magenta shade, hold foliage.

Ready in August. Prices on application.

DOUBLE BEGONIAS.

Others previously sent out bear no comparison with these for size of flowers, dwarfness of habit, and free flowering.

Our 100-ft, house, filled with our hybridised seedlings, proved to be the greatest hit we have ever made; it has simply lifted the Doubles into quite an improved flower—colours and dwarfness never before seen. The following are far superior and in advance of all older kinds—so large, fine, and full, that they defy any artist to show their true density and beauty. The engraving herewith shows one great feature, of which several partake, that is, representing a dozen rosebuds tied up in a close bunch. They are all beautifully double, and colour so lovely that they rank next, if not equal, to Orchids.



WM, HOLTES.

WM. HOLMES-Very large, high-centre, double flowers, full of rosettes, of a delicate pink shade; free, creet habit.

A. F. BARRON—A decided advance in this beautiful class of deep pink shades; large fine flowers, good erect labit, splendid dark foliage.

DR. MASTERS - Certainly one of the finest not only in size and form of flowers, but its perfect habit; Camellia-shaped flowers, cream, delicately tinted blush in centre,

EDELWEISS—Undoubtedly the finest white double-flowering variety yet sent out. First-Class Certificate.

J. WALKER-A rich coloured variety, crimson-searlet; very large and fine.

KING OF THE YELLOWS—As its name denotes, the richest coloured double yellow yet sent out; very dwarf and free.

LADY MARY ANNIE FORESTIER—Very pretty and quite distinct; guard petals slightly tinged pink, centre very double, of deep primrose shade; free and dwarf.

MAJOR LENDY—Very large and fine, of a distinct shade of pink, mottled soft yellow, and orange in centre. First-Class Certificate.

MRS. LEWIS CASTLE—In this we have a decided advance in this beautiful salmon-shaded class; very large double flowers, high centre, and quite distinct. First-Class Certificate.

MRS. WINDSOR—Quite a distinct shade and attractive, ground colour creamy blush, delicately edged pink; good habit.

SHIRLEY HIBBERD—Very large full flowers, and almost circular; creamy white, slightly tinted blush, splendid habit. Awarded First-Class Certificate.

THOS. BAINES—Deep cremu, shaded and edged terra cotta, medium-size flowers, very free; distinct,

Green Plants of all the above New Varieties will be distributed the 1st of August.

Prices on application.

CALCEOLARIA SOUVENIR.

A real half-and-half between the shrubby and herbaceous; readily increased from cuttings; free grower and bloomer; telling and effective for cut blooms; it is all through early spring and summer the best plant producing fine yellow flowers for cutting that we are acquainted with. 1s. 6d.

NEW FLOWERING YELLOW CARNATION.

MRS. W. BRIGHT—Named so at the request of the raiser. Colour a lovely buff-yellow, tinted with searlet. Richer and more beautiful than any other yellow. It is the best yellow-border variety ever seen, and should be in every garden. Quite distinct, and a new and great favourite. 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d.

CANNAS, THE "COMING PLANTS."

See Engraving on back of Cover.

The Begonia we have altered from the poor, narrow, insignificant flower, to a broad petal of from two to three inches, made so as to be almost unrecognisable. Our French friends have given as several glorious improvements, so much so that our house of Cannas has positively startled the greatest experts, both amateurs and professionals, and one and all have pronounced them the "coming plant." As in all other similar improvements, we shall soon have progresses of our own that will totally eclipse them. At all events, the lovely, brilliant, orchid-like flowers, and the broad, graceful, sub-tropical, highly ornamental foliage, together with their easy culture (treated same as a potato), the Canna from this time will become one, if not the most important plant, for garden and general decoration that we possess, for the flowers are of the most brilliant colours, and in shape fast approaching the Gladioli, and will mark a new era in our floral display everywhere.

As an instance how we alter flowers—in the minds of many it will be considered exaggeration—however, flowers were sent of three Cannas to the most practical and best informed horticultural artist in London, and sketch was returned headed. Gladiolus;" and on informing him of his error, he replied thus:—

" 15th October, 1887.

"Dear Sir.—The previous sketch must have shocked your feelings. Although I have been drawing flowers for over 15 years, so broad were the petals that I did not recognise. I thought them rather posultar flowers for Gladioli, but then one expects uncommon flowers from you, who can apparently cross Zonals with Begonias, and Chrysanthemums with Fireworks, and they need not be surprised at any floral forms from Swanley."

NEW VARIETIES OF 1887.

BRÉAUTÉ-Soft red; fine, showy flower; green foliage; good.

EDOUARD ANDRE-Dark foliage, shaded green, flowers deep lake; good.

FÉLIX CROUSSE—Dark green foliage, bright orange-red flowers; large and fine.

FRANCISQUE MOREL-Deep green foliage, large carmine flowers.

GERARD AUDRAN—Green foliage, flowers very large and fine, of a beautiful light orangered shade; extra.

GUILLAUME COUSTOU-Flowers canary-yellow, spotted red, light green foliage; very free.

HIPPOLYTE FLANDRIN-Flowers of a terra-cotta shade.

LOUIS THIBAUD-Medium-sized crimson flowers, short-jointed in growth; good.

PAUL BERT—Foliage dark green, ribbed purple, fine-formed medinur-sized flowers, rich reddish crimson,

VICTOR HUGO-Dark purplish foliage, medium-sized flowers, deep orange red.

7s, each.

OTHER GRAND VARIETIES.

A. CROZY—Of a rich crimson shade, fine spike, foliage dark green, edged parple; effective and good. 2s.

B. COUSANCAT-Very rich scarlet, dark green foliage, edged silver; vigorous habit. 1s. 6d.

CAPRICIEUX—One of the most distinct and beautiful; chestnut-red, effectively edged golden medium-sized flowers, green foliage; very free. 2s. 6d.

EMILE LECLERC—Green foliage, deep vellow, distinctly spotted soft red. 1s. 6d.

FAIVRE-Soft yellow, delicately spotted light red, green foliage, 1s. 6d,

FRANÇOIS LAPEUTE—Dark green foliage, ribbed dark brown, flowers rich reddish crimson, 1s.

GEOFFROY SAINT-HILAIRE—Beautiful dark foliage, large flowers, bright orange-red; good. 2s. 6d.

LOUISE CHRÉTIEN—Deep yellow, distinctly spotted red, fine spike; free and effective; dark green foliage; useful. 2s, 6d.

LUTEA SPLENDENS—Soft yellow, delicately spotted in upper petals, producing grand spikes of flowers, green foliage; one of the best. 2s. 6d.

MADAME GOBET—First-class; fine, large flowers and spike, deep red, slightly shaded orange, green foliage, edged brown. 28, 6d.

REVOL-MASSOT—Rich reddish crimson, medium-sized flowers, green foliage; effective, 1s.6d.

SÉNATEUR MILLAUD—Splendid dark foliage, producing reddish crimson flowers late in the season y a grand variety for tubs and open spaces on lawns. 2s, 6d.

SOUVENIR DE JEANNE CHARRETON—A very fine flower, bright orange-red, fine spikes, dark green foliage; good. 3s.

 $$\operatorname{Mr.\,J.}$ Richardson, top of Locke Park, Barnsley, $\mathit{March~8th},\,1887.$ I secured first prizes with the Verbenas I had from you last year.

NEW BORDER CARNATION.

CANNELL'S CRIMSON MAROON—The best habited, freest bloomer, and the finest new crimson coloured variety ever seen; so short and strong are its flower stems that it almost supports its own flowers; colour so rich, and flowers so perfect, that it stops everyone going near it, and all give it a parting word—"That's a beauty." Price, 1s. 6d, each.



CANNELL'S CRIMSON-MAROON CARNATION.

H. CANNELL & SONS'

GRAND NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS for 1888.

These are our own raising, from the same batch, and probably from the same head of seed, as those which were exhibited at the Royal Aquarinm, and caused the greatest sensation throughout the world, and was pronounced the best new batch ever sent out in one lot. The varieties now offered, we have no doubt, will be as highly spoken of.

AVALANCHE—We cannot do better than quote Mr. Molyneux's description, who says:—

Avalanche, a pure white Japanese variety having large, very full, rounded flowers, remarkable for the solidity of the florets, which are long, thin, and of a flat character. One of the best features of this variety is the dwarf, sturdy habit of growth. As an exhibition flower, it is sure to be much sought after for its fine build and purity of colour. In my opinion, it is the finest white Chrysanthemum in cultivation." 7s. 6d. each.

The Editor of The Garden (November 19th, 1887) says-

"The flower of Avalanche was the perfection of beauty, measuring fully 7 inches across, and of great solidity and depth."

SWANLEY YELLOW, or SUNFLOWER—One of the loveliest yellow-coloured varieties ever raised; large, reflexed flowers, dwarf, and very free. 5s.

GOOD TIDINGS—Colour Indian yellow, and in the style of *Red Indian*; very long twisted petals, full-sized flower, and full centre, medium height; will become the best in this class. 5s.

ECLIPSE—The prettiest and most attractive of all the mixtures of yellow and red suffused; bold recurved petals, fine large flower; very free, and the best of its class.

MRS. J. J. HILLIER—Silvery blush, shaded rose; full centre, reflexed florets, good form, and only grows about 3 feet high; one of the best coming kinds. 6s.

YOKOHAMA BEAUTY—A fine thing in the style and colour of *Harman Pagne*, and we have every reason to think it will make a good back row flower. 5s.

 $\textbf{FAVOURITE} + \text{Very broad-petalled reflexed flower, colour silvery blush}; \text{ very dwarf, and one of the best of its class.} \quad 5s.$

ONWARD—Loveliest white, tinted rose, shading to pure white, ever seen in the Chrysanthemum; long, broad petals and full-sized flower; free, good habit. 5s.

ALBERT VICTOR—White, shaded rosy manve, sweet combination of colours; a very promising exhibition variety. 5s.

SWANLEY WHITE-Lovely ivory white, broad petals, form of M. Astorg. 7s. 6d.

SUNLIGHT—Creamy white, tinted lilac, shaded yellow at base. 5s.

THE INTENDED—Most brilliant and lovely rose-coloured Japanese ever seen, silvery back, tipped white, full size, and full of long petals; a noble kind, in the way of Balmoreau. 6s.

MRS. DOUGLAS—Creamy white, recurved petals, flat flower. We anticipate this to be the best of all the creamy whites when well grown. 5s.

MARY—The prettiest formed flower ever seen, full of petals, colour creamy white, onter extended petals rose-pink, very dwarf, and sweetly pretty; quite a new shape, and like a Catherine wheel, 5s.

MRS. GOLDRING—Ground colour orange-yellow, long petals, suffused with red, and slightly twisted; promises to be a fine Japanese, 5s.

The set for £3 10s, 0d,

NEW ANEMONE-FLOWERED CHRYSANTHEMUM

DIRECT FROM CHINA

JAMES WESTON—Canary yellow, large outer guard petals white, with a lovely distinct raised cushioned yellow centre; an exquisite variety, 5s, each.

NEW ANEMONE-FLOWERED CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

MRS. M. RUSSELL—A sport from Madame Godercan, which is one of the best and most constant in cultivation. Colour, orange-yellow, lovely raised cushioned centre, with perfect guard petals; one of the best in cultivation. First-Class Certificate, Crystal Palace National Chrysanthemnum Society, and several others. Price 2s.

MISS ANNIE LOWE—In this we have another sport, a fine coloured variety from Lady Margaret; the ray or guard petals are of a soft causary yellow, centre, or cushion, of a deep bright yellow, making a fine contrast; the central florets are also deeply toothed at the apex as in the parent; large. Awarded a First-Class Certificate, N.C.C.—5s, each.

NEW INCURVED CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

CHARLES GIBSON - Beautiful bronze, a sport from Mrs. N. Davis, will undoubtedly prove a fine incurved variety. First-Class Certificate, 28 6d.: three for 6s.

LADY DOROTHY—A sport from the *Hero of Stoke Newington*, and that variety being a descendant of *Princess Teek* stamps this variety now offered as one of the best and most constant kinds in cultivation: colour lovely rich bronze, highly suffused with gold, similar to *Courte de Germiny*; it will become unquestionably a lovely standing variety. 5s. each.

The best and latest flowering Chrysanthemum in the world—a rose colour—Mrs. C. Carev.

NEW YEAR'S GIFT—A sport from the well-known variety, Mrs. Chas. Carey. Never blooms till after Christmas. Colour rose, heavily shaded purple and bright pink; larger and fuller blooms than its parent, retaining the same strong growth; will add a new floral feature everywhere. 5s. each: 3 for 10s.

GRAND NEW SINGLES:

ADMIRAL SIR T. SYMONDS—Large deep yellow; grand variety; far surpasses the energying. First-Class Certificate. 5s. each.

The largest and finest of the Single Chrysanthemums was kindly presented to us by Admiral of the Fleet, Sir T. Symonds, K.C.B., and when exhibited, proved to be the "lion" of the varieties in this class.

NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

KING OF THE YELLOWS-Medium size, very deep yellow; late flowering. 2s. 6d.

MR. MIST-Chestuut red, distinct yellow ring round high centre; fine. 2s. 6d.

JOHN TYARS—Rich magenta, pure white at base of florets, forming into a distinct white ring. 2s. 6d.

D. WINDSOR—Very large fine flowers, chestnut-red. First-Class Certificate, National Chrysanthennum Society, 2s. 6d.

TWO NEW LATE-FLOWERING VARIETIES.

YELLOW ETHEL, or NEW YEAR'S DAY—(Edwards' variety)—Up to the present, no variety has proved more valuable and useful for the festive season as the white, the parent of the above, and from which it is a sport—this being so, we need hardly say it is a fac-simile in every way except colour, which is a bright yellow of a higher tone of colour than other similar sports. Blooms of this variety commanded almost fabulous prices last Christmas; and, without doubt, is the best and most valuable for cutting at the shortest and New Year's Days ever offered. 1s, 6d, each. Special prices to the Trade.

"YELLOW SNOWDROP," or "PRIMROSE LEAGUE"—A sport from the well-known best pure white Christmas blooming pompon, and for small cut flower work and decoration the best. 1s. each.

CACTUS DAHLIAS.

It is highly gratifying to know, as we do from the great demand of late and enquiries, that seedlings similar and approaching the original Juurezii that we had the pleasure of sending out some years ago are the most useful and serviceable of all Dahlias. Just us we anticipated, our new varieties last year have given great satisfaction, and at no distant date prizes will be offered for this class, just in the same way as the show and fancy varieties.

It is with considerable pride and pleasure that we have six varieties to add to the lovely and most useful class of all Dahlias.

SIR TREVOR LAWRENCE—In our opinion this is the tovetiest cotoured Cactus Dahlia in cultivation. Bright cherry-scarlet, shaded purple, reflexed flowers, with pleasing Cactus-shaped petals and charming habit, makes it a general favourite.—One of the best we have raised.—10s. each.

YELLOW A. W. TAIT—A deep bronze-yellow, abundant bloomer, and fine liabit; at first sight it would be taken for a reflexed Chrysanthenium, so fine and lovely are its petals twisted and narrowly cut, rivalling a Japanese variety; a real feature in any garden. 78, 6d.

YELLOW JUAREZII—Colour cauary-yellow; elegant shape, and will become immensely normals. 10s. each

LADY ARDILAUN—Most charming combination of colour, half-and-half scarlet and crimson. In fact, it is, in our opinion, the loveliest self-colour of all Dahlias; splendid habit, very fine and free.—10s, each.



LILLIAN ABERY.

LILLIAN ABERY—Last year we offered 11. *T. Ahery*, and the accompanying engraving represents it admirably, and, wherever exhibited, was the lion of the shows, all exclaiming. What a lovely flower! it is the prettiest of all Dahlias! And so it is. The one we now offer is its very counterpart, except one colonr—yellow takes the place of the scarlet; shape and freeness of bloom is the same. It will, without doubt, become the most popular Dahlia (particularly with the ladies), in every garden, that has ever been offered to the public. 10s, each.

REFLEXED DAHLIA.

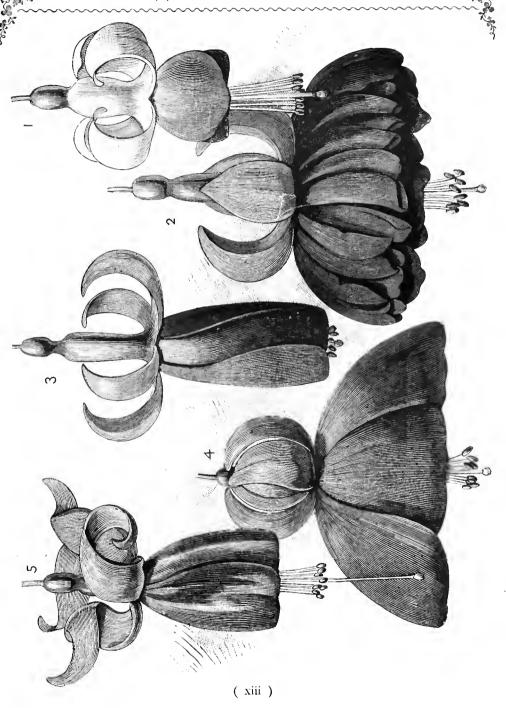
F. W. STANDLEY—We have now so perfected this new class that next year we hope to show them and introduce some fine varieties, and the time is not far distant when they will also take their places side by side with the show varieties. In our opinion, they are certainly as useful and charming as the large varieties. The judges at the National Show awarded this a First-Class Certificate. Colour scarlet, shaded with yellow, and must class with a lovely salmon red; capital habit, very free, and for garden and cut-flower decoration, a gem. 3s.

GRAND NEW FUCHSIAS (SANKEY).

It is with much pleasure we amounce that we again have the bonour of sending out Dr. Sankey's extraordinary seedlings. Just as we predicted, when we distributed his first one, that such an experienced hybridiser and lover of flowers would produce some wonderful kinds, and the four flowers facisimiles as near as man can make them to give an idea of what they are really like, these flowers will give us new life to the Fuchsia, and we hope will raise it up to a higher pitch of attraction than ever before attained, for they are certainly most extraordinary; and Mr. J. Weston's new white, is the most lovely model-like Fuchsia yet seen, and will become a geni of genis in the light varieties.

EYNSFORD GEM (Weston)—White tube and sepals, which are stont and broad, and fine leathery texture; waxy ivory-white, corolla fiery rosy lake colour, petals stont and well expanded, and is, without doubt, the loveliest reflexed Fuchsia in cultivation; strong and free. No. 1. 5s. cach.

BOREATTON—Sepals crimson, corolla deep purple, full smooth regular petals; the finest double yet introduced. No. 2



AMIE—Sepals crimson, exceedingly long (2½ inches), very rich dark purple corolla. No. 3. SALOPIA—Sepals crimson, corolla light purple, handsomely expanded corolla 3½ inches across, No. 4.

ELEGANCE—Sepals crimson, singularly contorted or twisted, corolla deep purple, broadly striped with pale red. No. 5.

6s. cach.

GLOXINIAS.

Again this year our collection and two houses of seedlings were beyond all question the grandest of the grand floral sights ever beheld. Shape, size, and brilliancy of colours, together with their exquisitely defined intense coloured lines, buffle all description. Some may ask, "How, on earth, has Messrs. Cannell attained this near perfection strain?" Well, first we have for years collected the new ones from all sources, and these we have scientifically hybridised with similar colours and shapes, and flower 2,000 seedlings yearly, sacrificing 90 per cent, from the best. We propagate rapidly, and offer the bulbs and seeds from them. There can be no better.

See General Collection, page 143.

NEW GLOXINIAS FOR 1888,

ADMIRAL SIR T. SYMONDS—Erect flowering, mouth large-striped with large veins of deep maroon, lobes spotted purple and maroon with a broad margin of white; good and pretty.

DARKNESS-Throat stained lake, lobes a rich dark velvety plum, probably the darkest coloured variety yet seen.

GEM OF THE FIRST WATERS—Throat and month veined with crimson-magenta, lobes rosy-pink, edges pure white, delicately spotted rosy pink; a most charming flower; free and good.

LADY PELLY—Throat striped and netted with chocolate, month distinctly marked with clusters of light purple, lobes white, spotted with a pleasing shade of purple and a narrow edging of white; very pretty.

LIEUT.-COL. FISHWICK—Throat deep resy-claret, base of lobes deep maroon, lobes rosy-magenta, shading off lighter; distinct.

MRS. BRUCHAUSE—White throat, thickly spotted violet, lobes deep violet, spotted white, shading off darker, and edged light purple; good.

MRS. W. M. GUNDRY—Throat stained lake, month blotched crimson, lake, and white, belted with a beautiful salmon-pink shade, lobes white, delicately spotted salmon-pink: habit good.

MR. CHAS. MILLER—Base of throat white, spotted crimson, month maroon, labes of a pleasing rosy plum shade; good form, one of the best,

R. R. SMELLIE—White throat spotted crimson, mouth stained magenta, lobes rich plum with a distinct margin of light purple; very good llowers; free.

UNBELIEVABLE—Mouth and throat stained chocolate, lobes of a beautiful plant-purple edged white and spotted plum-purple; good habit; in every way an acquisition.

W. C. WILCOCKS—White threat, thickly spotted crimson, month lake, lobes scarlet-crimson; shading foll lighter and forming an even margin; good liabit, .

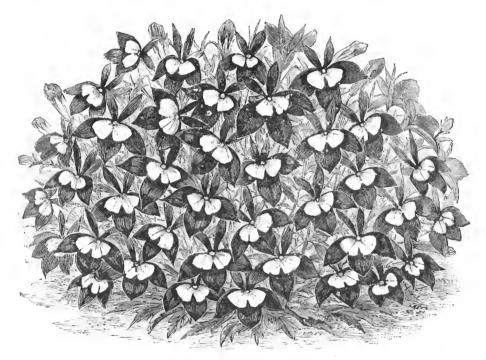
-5s. each,

LOBELIA.

SWANLEY BLUE, IMPROVED. Not only in this country, but all over the world. Swanley Blue has driven nearly every light-coloured blue Lobelia out of cultivation, so nearly perfect is it in every way to what a Lobelia should be. The one we now offer has a bloom larger and of a much darker colour; in fact it is a real sky, or salvia blue, and we predict it to be the master of all the dwarf Lobelias, both for pots and bedding. 2s, 6d, each.

LOBELIA, DWARF.

KING OF THE BLUES, or ATTRACTION.—Of all the bedding Lobelias hitherto sent out, none as a pot plant will bear any comparison—white eye, set in the densest dark-blue flower; dwarf, free, and a perfect gem for bedding and borders. First-Class Certificate at Liverpool, 1886. Seeds, 2s. pkt. Plants 6d. each. 4s. per doz. rooted cuttings; 12s. per 100.



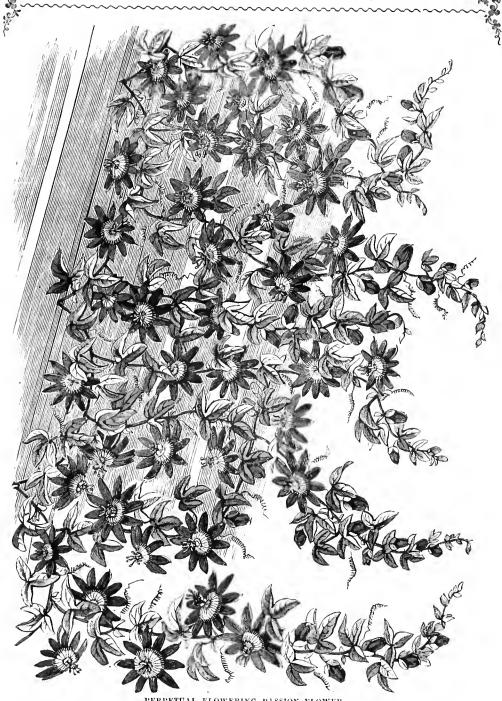
KING OF THE BLUES, OR ATTRACTION.

MATRICARIA, INODORA, IMPROVED.

The old variety is well known as a very hardy plant, producing abundance of neat pure white double flowers, extremely useful for bouquets and wreaths. This is in every way the same, excepting that the flowers are more than double the size. 2s.

NEW PERPETUAL FLOWERING PASSION FLOWER.

The best of all climbers for a greenhouse. A seedling raised near the sea coast in Devoushire, where all this family flourish as if in their native soil. We have had it planted in one of our warm houses for two years, and it has never ceased flowering, and, what is more remarkable, insects are never seen upon it; grows very freely; ground colour of flowers red, shaded rose; very showy, and truly represented in the engraving as a greenhouse climber. It is the most valuable, for suspending and festooning purposes, of all the plants in cultivation: Can at all seasons be seen in bloom in our mirsery. 5s. each.

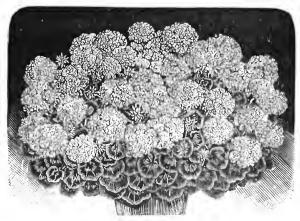


PERPETUAL FLOWERING PASSION FLOWER.
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NEW PERPETUAL-FLOWERING ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

(SEE COLOURED PLATE.)

The three finest and most invaluable. Perpetual-Flowering Double Zonal Pelargoniums ever introduced; in fact they are, as it were, a national gift to the people.



SWANLEY DOUBLE WHITE.

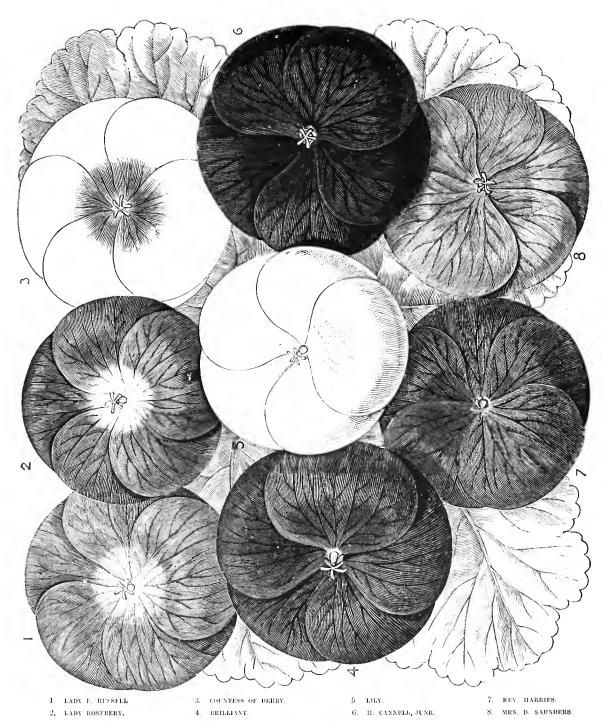
SWANLEY DOUBLE WHITE—Without seeing one would scarcely believe the dwarf growth and freeness in flowering of this wonderful variety. It belongs to the dwarf section of Zonals which have been introduced these ten years, dark dense green leaves throwing up numerons trusses of the purest white at every joint, and continues to do so all through the year, winter in particular, For cut flowers it can best be described by saying, "it is an ever-blooming Geranium of the greatest value for the production of white flowers at all seasons ever seen, entirely beating all other kinds of this colour." Also known as *Contesse S. Discruce*, 2s, 6d, each.

GOLDFINDER—W. B. Miller, Esq., Ramsgate, the greatest living raiser of Zonals, suggests this name on account of its distinct yellow shaded searlet colonr, and because he is sure, from its perfection and distinctness, that it would bring in the gold: again, its colour somewhat approaches that of gold. It is the loveliest of all yellow-shaded searlet Geraniums in cultivation, and a standing variety for many years. Its habit and freeness are so good that it renders one of the loveliest of its class. 5s. each.

CAMELEON—The best and loveliest striped flowers ever introduced; habit dwarf, very rarely higher than six inches from the pot, small dense green leaves, and abundant bloomer. It is remarkable for its dwarfness and its change in the ground colour from a bright rose-purple to a soft manyerose, and on the same plant we have other trusses of a bright lake rosy red. Its whole character is such as all must admire and appreciate for its extreme beauty, distinctness, and wonderful trusses: a real novelty and a gen. 2s. 6d. each. The set of three for 8s.

GRAND NEW ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

Mr. D. Windsor, who was a raiser of the Zonal in the time of, and before the late Dr. Demy, has continued it ever since with madated vigour; many of the standing varieties are of bis raising. For the production of a pure white one he has done more than all other hybridisers, to wash out, as it were, all colour to give us a good whire, which was the work of nearly thirty-five years. His Queen of the Belgium and Queen of the Whites Improved are splendid kinds. The following will be found to eclipse all others, and will be highly treasured by lovers of winter flowering Zonals. We had them surprisingly beautiful all last winter, far in advance of any ever before seen in shape, colour, size, and substance. See Report of the National Chrysanthemum Show, in November, and the many other reports, describing them as a wonderful floral sight.



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H. CANNELL, JUNR.—Produces flowers of the most perfect form and size, fine broad over. lapping petals; colour, crimson, deeply suffused with purple, white eye; enormous truss; habit first-rate; too much cannot be said of this variety. (See No. 6 in Engraving.) 10s. each.

BRILLIANT—A grand scarlet, with very fine pips and trusses of the finest shape; the grandest of all the scarlets. (See No. 4 in Engraving.) 6s. each.

MADAME PATTI—Mottled salmon, grand advance on Sophie Birken; its gigantic reflexed pips and trusses strike every one at first sight; will become a general favorrite. 5s. each.

CHARLES DICKENS—Individual pips measuring $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches, and perfectly round; colour, crimson, shaded purple in lower petals; fine bold truss; habit everything that can be desired; a very attractive variety. 5s. each.

BRIDESMAID—A variety which must be included in the oculated class, but quite distinct from all others therein; one-half the colour of the llower is pink, shading off to pure white, with white eye; free bloomer, large flowers and truss; a gem. First-Class Certilicate, 7s. 6d.

MRS. KEELER (IMPROVED)—It is nearly 20 years since we had any advance in this lovely colour, which were Mrs. Keeler and Mrs. W. Paul, beautiful pink colour; the one now offered is a grand improvement on those well-known varieties, and is a most beautiful, soft, delicate, pink colour, large blotch of white in base of upper petals; very dwarf and free. 5s.

GRAND NEW ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

(MILLER.)

The following are from the seed-bed of W. B. Miller, Esq., of Ramsgate, who has done, and is doing more to improve the whole family of Pelargoniums than any other living man. His hybrids this season are very lovely, and in several sections are earrying us far forward, and all who purchase will find even better than we give that gentleman credit for,

LOVE GOLD—A line improvement on *New Guinea* and all yellow tinted scarlets, and the nearest to yellow yet seen; fine pips and truss; a grand variety, quite an acquisition. 7s. 6d. each.

LILY—White, very slightly tinted at times, the largest of its colour yet seen from this variety; a grand pure white must come; flowers nearly as large as any scarlet. (See No. 5 in Engraving.) 7s. 6d.

LADY CHURCHILL—The deepest possible salmon colour, of very line form and substance; good habit and free; the best of all in its class. 5s. each

RED SHIRT—Fine improvement on *J. Gibbons*; brilliant searlet flowers and large trusses; a grand winter blooming variety; shows every indication of becoming a splendid bedder. 5s.

JOHN BRIGHT—Grand hybrid nosegay, with brilliant crimson flowers; fine improvement on *Dr. Orton.* 5s. each.

COUNTESS OF DERBY—Mottled salmon, fiery centre, shading off to a white margin: a very favourite flower with the raiser, Mr. Miller. 5s. (See Engraving No. 3.)

NEW CRIMSON BEDDING PELARGONIUM.

SAM JACOBY (Miller)—Two or three shades darker than the renowned *Henry Jacoby*, and when comparing these two varieties in beds a short distance from each other, the verdict of all is that the one now offered is considerably darker, denser, and richer. Sam has a fine habit, and gives every promise of assuming the "head" of this beautiful class and colour; very free and effective. 6s. each.

NEW DOUBLE ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

(MILLER.)

SALAMANDER — Produces gigantic trusses of the most beautiful light magenta shade; perfectly distinct from any other variety in commerce. 5s.

MISS FLOS—Colour beautiful rosy salmon, fine shaped pip and truss, dwarf habit. 5s. each.

LADY ROBERTS—Habit very dwarf and short jointed, belonging to the dwarf class of Doubles; purple shaded flowers, full and double, very free blooming; the forerunner for dwarling all the Doubles again. 5s. each; three for 10s.

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NEW SILVER VARIEGATED ZONAL PELARGONIUM, WITH DOUBLE FLOWERS.

(MILLER.)

MISS ELLEN TERRY—Broad white margin to a deep green centre; habit dwarf and short jointed; flowers pure white, with deep salmon eye; large, very double, and good form; freely produced; quite novel and beautiful. 10s, each.

NEW BRONZE ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

(MILLER.)

JUBILEE—Fine bold leaf, with broad and even band of deep chestnut; salmon-coloured flowers. 3s, 6d.

HER MAJESTY—Very fine, large, and leathery foliage, with deep zone, and bright searlet flowers. 3s, 6d.

NEW RED-EDGED PICOTEE.

MARY DODWELL ANSTISS (Anstiss)—The finest red-edged variety yet introduced, Mr. Dodwell, in writing to us respecting it, says—"I can put nothing before it." First-class Certificate, 5s. cach.

FOUR GRAND STANDARD NEW PRIMULAS.

(SEE COLOURED PLATE.)

SINGLE PRIMULAS—Our Single Primulas have been awarded more First Class Certificates than all other firms put together. Our "White Perfection" is known as the perfection of Primulas, and our standing varieties the finest in existence. Box of blooms sent to any address for Six Stamps.

"Cannell possesses the finest single sorts in the trade; their White Perfection is matchless."—The Garden.

"So good as to well deserve a first-class certificate,"—Gardeners' Magazine,

"Cannell's Primulas, 30 plants, rare quality, and very high cultural merit."—Duily Chronicle.

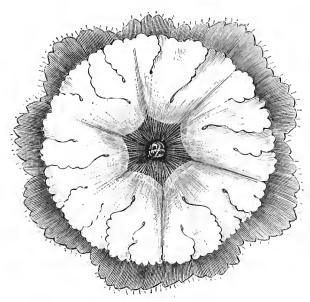
The Four most popular and well-known, the best new and useful Primulas ever offered.

All who have seen our exhibits for many years past will acknowledge that we have both grown and shown the finest plants ever seen, and produced more new and standing varieties than any other firm. Our several Houses all through the Winter, both single and double, is a sight not equalled in the world—Swanley White, Red, Purple, and Blue, improve year by year, until they nearly approach perfection.

IMPROVEMENT—The highest bright-red, is a grand march onwards of the Swanley-Red type, habit size, substance, and tiery colour of its flowers far excels all others; habit and freeness, together with its fine flowers, constitute it a gem. First-Class Certificate. (See Coloured Plate.) Per pkt., 4s.

BRATD'S SEEDLING (Auriculæflora), exhibited last year, was unanimously awarded a First-Class Certificate—a real break from anything previously seen; its distinct rich, bronze, starry. Anricula centre leads one, even the most practical, to suggest that the blood of the Auricula is in it, so striking is its distinctness, fine habit, colour (like the ordinary Magna Coccinea Primula), and glaring centre, that it stops everybody on first seeing it, and the general exclamation is—"This is a new break, and the first of a new class." (See Coloured Plate)—Per pkt., 2s. 6d.

SWANLEY GIANT—All lovers of Primulas will remember the pride and picasure they first bestowed on the good old Magna Coccinea; the colour of this now offered is similar, but brighter, flowers considerably larger, and overlapping gigantic truss; strong, dwarf habit, is a wonderful advance on the old style of Primulas, and for general decoration, rough, quick market treatment, is far the best of this family ever sent out. Per pkt., 4s. (See Coloured Plate.)



WHITE PERFECTION.

WHITE PERFECTION—The loveliest and the most perfect in habit, flower, and freeness, and stands at the head of this class. Last February (1887) it was exhibited in between two which were expected to excel it, but it far-distanced them by long odds, and confirmed the fact that no other variety raised is near its equal. First-Class Certificate. Per pkt., 2s. 6d. 5s. each,

- "Messrs, Cannell & Sous have done wonders in selecting and improving varieties,"—tiarden Work, 9th July, 1887.
- "Fine Primulas.—Messrs. Cannell, well-known skilful cultivators of Primulas, have sent us some wonderfully fine blooms of these popular flowers. The lighter-coloured flowers are particularly good, indeed, we have never seen better, and the dark ones rich, the whole showing the excellence of their strain."—Garden Work, 5th Feb., 1887.
- "Braid's Seedling was of exceptional merit; brilliant carmine, with central zone of entire crimson; one of the best sorts we have seen."—Garden.
 - "Colour, rich rosy-red, with a large crimson centre."-Magazine.
- "As far as we know, a new departure, being what florists call Auricula-eyed; colour, crimson-purple, yellow eye, surrounded with an angular band of dark rubra red."—Garden World.
 - "Mr. Braid was awarded the First Prize."-Journal of Horticulture.

Mr. Thomas Hallett, Fox Street, Bridgewater, October 23rd, 1887,

I know from experience that your firm can be relied on for plants and seeds.

Mr. H. Ralph, Woodbridge, February, 1887,

The seeds I had of you last year were good, the Primulas were a splendid strain. I took the prize with them at the Woodbridge Chrysanthemum Show in November, and first prize for the Balsams I had from you, the best Balsams I ever saw.

J. WRIGLEY, Jun., Esq., Holbeck, Windermere, April 30th, 1887.

Plants safe to hand, very good, as usual, and remarkably well packed. Cinerarias, both double and single, from your seeds have been very good; Beaconsfield Primroses very heantiful, and quite equal to your coloured plate; the Pelargoniums obtained from you have been splendid—never saw any so good in this district.

NEW DWARF DOUBLE TROPÆOLUM.

"DARKNESS"—Many will remember the delight and surprise when Hermann Grasshoff was first seen, for its fine, perfect, double rose-like flowers. This is in every way similar, with a colonr of lovely dark maroon-crimson; dwarf, stiff growth, coming a mass of bloom. A plant soon increased, and sells at first sight. 1s. each; in May, 6d. each, 5s. doz.



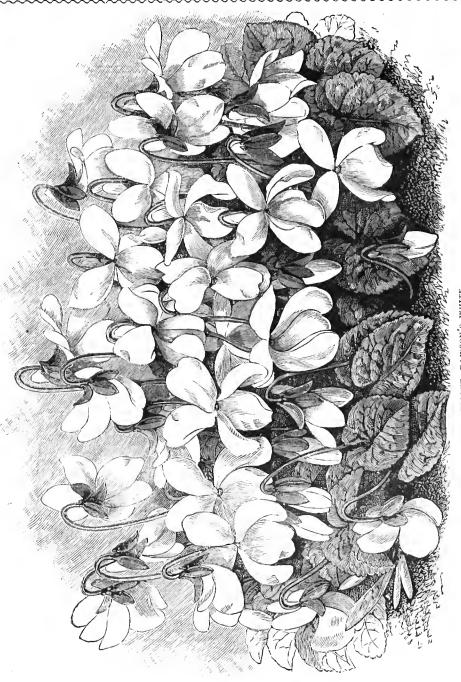
NEW SINGLE VIOLET, RAWSON'S WHITE.

Every improvement in Violets is a blessing for all the world, rich and poor, black or white, and the most ignorant pick the first Violet and enjoy its lovely odonr, and is often sent from friend to friend as a token of love and respect. We are so impressed with the importance of Violets that we have now near on 2,000 seedlings, and we hope soon to have some lovely additional charms for our highly esteemed enstoners all over the world. This Violet is accurately shown in the engraving. Raised by the late Vicar of Bromley, Kent, now of Falbarrow, Windermere, one of the cutest of all amateurs. Its habit is very free, has stardy foliage, dense green, round clumps, and remarkably hardy, stands the severest winter without the least injury, and when in full flower presents a surface of bloom above its foliage; at first sight at a distance it suggests itself as being like a dwarf Lobelia. So profusely does it flower that it becomes one sheet of white, and will eventually be used as a bedding plant. Its flower is slightly tinged with pink in the early part of the season, but becomes whiter as the temperature gets warmer, and it throws more bloom; certainly much the best white single Violet in circulation. 1s. 6d. each; 12s. per dozen.

A. C. HARCOURT, Esq., Lewisham Road, S.E., August 30th, 1887.

I have tried your real Manure for flowers this year by the side of others, and none is equal to it for nutrition and for improving the brightness of the bloom.

S. P. Brittain, Esq., Fairfield, Buxton, 25th March, 1887, I consider your Real Manure the best thing that can be used in a greenhouse. I have tried it upon different kinds of plants with the best results.



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NOVELTIES SENT OUT BY OTHER RAISERS,

with their Descriptions.

NEW AGERATUM.

JOHANNAS PFITZER-Said to be an improvement on Cannell's Dwarf; a rich shade of colour. 1s. each.

NEW AURICULA.

MARMION (Douglas)—Is a very constant variety; has beautiful mealed foliage, a neat truss of well-formed pips, the edge silvery grey, body colour black, dense white paste, and rich orange tube. Received First-Class Certificate, National Anricula Society. 10s. 6d.

NEW DOUBLE BEGONIA.

M. VARRONE—Rosette-shaped double flowers, gnard petals light pink, picotee edge of red, centre very double, salmon, shaded red, and edged deeper; distinct.

NEW BOUVARDIAS.

ETNA. 3s. 6d. FLAVESCENS FL. PL. 3s. 6d.

| SCARLET PRINCE. 3s. 6d. | VULCAN—The best scarlet. 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.

NEW YELLOW CARNATION "GERMANIA"

This valuable Carnation is a rapid grower, of robust and branching habit, and about 2 feet in height. Its numerous flowers are very large and double, of circular form, with perfectly smooth petals, and of a deep, rich canary-yellow colour; they remain in freshness and beauty for a long time. The first blooms measure $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches across. This variety succeeds best planted out in a cold frame or in the open ground, when all the side-shoots produce flowers. If indiciously grown, it will doubtless prove to be a perpetual bloomer. The flower-stalks, especially those borne by the side-shoots, are long and elastic, whereby the value of the flowers for enting is considerably anhanced. It is unquestionably the most beautiful and useful Yellow Carnation extant. 6s. each.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

The under-mentioned sent out with their Raisers' description.

AGNES FLIGHT—White, long twisted petals, creamy centre; magnificent. 2s. 6d.

ALBA FIMBRIATA: Pure white, broad fringed petals. Two First-Class Certificates.

2s. 6d.

ALPHA—Rosy purple, shaded white. Two First-Class Certificates. 2s. 6d. **EVELYN**—Magenta. 2s. 6d.

MRS, J. WRIGHT—Ivory-white, round twisted florets; quite a novelty. Three First-Class Certificates, $3s,\,6d,$

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MR. D. B. CHAPMAN—Bright rosy purple, long twisted petals, divided at the points like a deer's horn. Grand variety. F.C. 2s. 6d.

MR. STEPHENSON CLARKE—Orange, shaded red, broad petals. 2s. 6d.

MR. W. H. BURBRIDGE—French white, creamy centre; commended. 2s. 6d.

ROSE BEAUTY-Rosy lilae, full centre. 2s. 6d.

STANSTEAD WHITE—Very large, white petals, semi-incurved. 2s. 6d.

SARAH OWEN (Owen)—Bright golden bronze, sport from Mdme. John Lainy, large, broad, gold tipped petals. Two First-Class Certificates. Plants distributed in March. 3s. 6d. cach.

LORD EVERSLEY (Wildsmith)—Incurved. First-Class Certificate. Pure white, centre florets tipped green when young, very pretty and distinct; sport from Princess Teck. 2s. 6d.

BUFFALO BILL (Stevens)—Japanese, red-chestnut, changing to buff, erect florets, large flower. 2s. 6d.

JAMES STEVENS (Stevens)—Japanese, orange, shaded bronze, narrow florets, full flower, 2s, 6d

JOHN STEVENS (Stevens)—Japanese, chestnut-crimson, splashed and tipped gold. 2s. 6d

MISS WALLER (Stevens)—Reflexed, beautiful decorative variety, stout pointed florets. lilac-rose, shaded salmon, and tipped with white; very chaste. 2s. 6d.

MRS. C. ORCHARD (Stevens)—Reflexed, deep golden orange, full, erect thorets, very smooth and regular in outline; telling colour. 3s. 6d.

MISS NICHOLS (Stevens)—Reflexed, rosy purple. full flower with broad thorets; good hybrid decorative variety. 1s.

MISS LILY STEVENS (Stevens)—Pompon, pure white, finted florets of good form and substance, early. 1s.

ODORATUM (Stevens)—Japanese, manyy lilac, tipped and suffused white, silvery reverse, good sturdy habit, and strongly sweet-scented 2s. 6d.

ROSE STEVENS (Stevens)—Japanese, white, shaded and striped rose, good habit; fine for decoration, early. 1s.

SNOWFLAKE (Stevens)—Hybrid Pompon, very pretty fimbriated variety, florets deeply cut, pure white, free; fine for cutting. 1s.

CREAM SEEDLING (Stevens)—Japanese, florets creamy white, light and feathery; distinct. 1s.

MRS. BEALE (Japanese)—We pronounce this to be the largest and purest white yet sent out; the petals are of immense size, many of the guard-petals measuring 1 in. in width; a really grand show flower. Awarded First-Class Certificate, Crystal Palace. 7s. 6d. each.

MRS. DUNNETT (Japanese)—An enormous flower of a rosy blush colour, the points of the petals quilled and prettily tipped with white; the petals are very long, somewhat narrow, and form an incurved, ball-like centre; very distinct from anything in commerce; a magnificent exhibition variety. 7s. 6d. each.

LADY LEWISHAM (Japanese)—A splendid novelty, large flowers of a beautiful shade of lilac and rose, petals long and drooping, innucuse depth of bloom. A first-rate variety for the show board. 5s. each,

HOLBORN BEAUTY (Japanese)—This charming novelty is in the way of Bend Or, but of a perfectly distinct and unique shade, the flowers being of a pretty bronze maize colour; the long petals are very spiral; must be popular as an exhibition variety. 5s. each.

CHARLIE SHARMAN—An immense show flower of a perfectly novel colour, i.e., a deep rich magenta; petals long, very broad, and flat; a fine exhibition flower. 7s. 6d. each.

NORTHERN LIGHT (Japanese)—A peculiar variety, with large, broad red petals tipped and flaked with rich golden yellow. A handsome decorative variety. 5s. each.

NEW CLEMATIS.

LA FRANCE—This variety, even on the youngest plants, stops every visitor when passing through our Clematis house, on account of its lovely dark, brilliant, purple-blue flowers, perfect shape, and wonderful freedom of blooming. In our opinion this is an immense improvement on any other variety that we have seen. 7s. each.



LA FRANCE.

NEW FUCHSIAS.

DARK VARIETIES.

C. N. MAY—Scarlet tube and sepals, stont and brilliant in colour, I very dark plum corolla, excellent habit; a fine and striking variety. 3s.

WALTER LONG—Bright pale coral-red tube and sepals, clear violet corolla, deeper in colour towards the edges: a very fine exhibition Fuchsia. 3s. 6d.

LIGHT VARIETIES.

GEM OF LAVINGTON—White tube and sepals, very delicately tinted with the palest pink, very stout carmine corolla, finshed with soft violet; extra fine in form; a robust and very fine variety. 3s.

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LADY DOREEN LONG-Creamy white tube and sepals, smooth and stout in texture, deep pink corolla, suffused with pale violet: of the finest form; very free, and excellent habit. 3s. 6d.

LOVELINESS—A grand white Fuchsia, the flowers large and stout, creamy tube and pale blush sepals, very long and stout, pale violet-pink corolla, margined with carmine. This has all the points of an extra fine Fuchsia, and it can be highly recommended. 3s. 6d.

ROSALIND—Large waxy white tube and sepals, the latter delicately tinted with blush as the flowers age, pale rosy pink corolla, shading off to the margins with bright earmine, very stout and extra fine; excellent habit. 3s. 6d.

SUNSHINE—Creamy white tube, delicate blush sepals, bright earmine corolla; a very pleasing variety; of free habit. $3\dot{s}.~6d.$

VIRGINIA—Waxy white tube and sepals, the latter suffused with a flesh tint, pale carmine corolla, flaked with violet; good habit, and very free. 3s.

NEW HELIOTROPES.

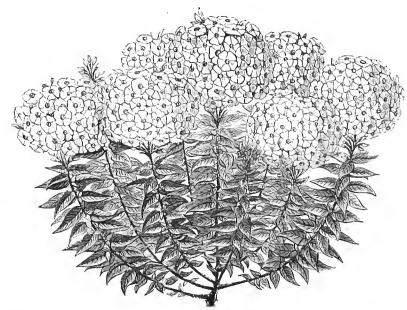
L'ALSACE | LA LORRAINE | LE NUBIAN | PATRIOTE.

1s. 6d. each.

NEW LANTANAS.

FAVORI—Soft yellow, changing to white. | **LA FIANCÉE**—Dwarf, and pure white. 1s. 6d. each.

NEW PHLOX DECUSSATA.



WHITE DWARF—The loveliest, most useful, and certainly the best Phlox introduced for very many years; habit and flowers better than that shown in the engraving. A most useful variety for growing in pots and bedding; pure white. Each, 1s. 6d.; per doz., 15s.

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FRENCH OR DECORATIVE PELARGONIUM.

J. WOOD-INGRAM—Dwarf, but robust, habit: large trusses of crimson and searlet flowers, black blotch in upper petals. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 3s, 6d, each.

SINGLE ZONAL PELARGONIUM.

BECKWITH'S PINK—Of a beautiful bright rosy pink, flowers of good shape and size, very free, habit dwarf; grand for market and winter decoration. 1s. 6d. each.

SILVER VARIEGATED ZONAL PELARGONIUM.

FOR BEDDING.

BOULE DE NEIGE—A great improvement on Little Trot, Princess Alexandra. &c.; fine. dwarf, bushy habit, broad white-margined leaf, deep green centre; has been bedded out for two seasons, and admired by all. 1s. 6d. each; 15s. doz.

ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

SINGLES.

AVENIR-Large trusses, deep magenta, tinted clear rose in upper petals; novel colour.

CARBONARO-Well formed flowers of a reddish shade; free.

PERLE-Well formed flowers of the purest white; free.

RENAISSANCE-Greyish-rose, white eye, upper petals shaded orange-red.

TROPHÉE—Of a peculiar shade of rose, shading to lilae in centre, and changing to deep lilac in antumn; distinct.

5s. each.

DOUBLES.

LA FAVOURITE—Pure white, well-formed flowers, large trusses.

M. CARO-Flowers large, rosy-lilac, shaded silver.

M. JOVIS-Soft salmon, deeper centre, edges orange shaded; very free.

TUNISIE-White, tinted salmon, flowers double.

5s. each.

DOUBLE-FLOWERED IVY-LEAF PELARGONIUMS.

ANDRE THEURIET-Flowers full, and of a reddish violet shade.

BASTIEN-LEPAGE—Very large, semi-double, rosy manve upper petals, lightly nerved purple.

GLOIRE DE LORRAINE—Flowers very large and double, rosette shaped, rich cerise, and shaded red; will be found useful for greenhouse culture.

LAMARTINE—An improvement on Emile Lemoine; very large.

VÉTÉRAN-Trusses large, bright orange-carmine; very free.

3s. 6d. each.

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NEW IVY-LEAF VARIETIES.

ROBERT OWEN—Is deep rose-cerise, very double, broad petals; medium to vigorous habit; the most perfect double of any lvy-leaf Pelargonium.

JUBILEE—Is a light rose; free blooming; medium habit.

PRINCE OF WALES-Purple-cerise, semi-double; very free and erect.

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H.P. SIR ROWLAND HILL—This magnificent new seedling Rose is of a rich deep port wine colour, shaded with blackish maroon, changing to a bright ruby-claret. The flowers are very large, full and well built, each petal, which is of great substance, standing out conspicuously; constant and very sweet scented. This Rose is a fine autunnal bloomer, and a splendid exhibition variety; the foliage is large and massive, and the growth very vigorous. We believe Sir Rowland Hill to be the darkest Rose ever yet raised. Awarded the National Rose Society's Gold Medal, at Edinburgh.

n.r. DUCHESS OF LEEDS—A new seedling Rose, raised from La France, but many shades deeper in colour, which is on the reverse side of the petals, rendering it a very pleasing and attractive variety. The habit and foliage are similar to those of the parent, but it is much more profuse in its blooming qualities. The buds when first opening are long, pointed, and exquisitely shaped. The Duchess of Leeds is one of the best garden Roses ever raised in its line of colour, and often produces flowers fit for exhibition. Awarded the National Rose Society's Gold Medal, at Edinburgh.

Strong plants in pots in May. 1888, 7s. 6d. each.

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HYBRID PERPETUAL GLOIRE DE MARGOTTIN—Dazzling red, the most brilliant yet known; large, full, finely formed, globulous, splendid in bud. Excellent for forcing; growth very vigorous. Recommended for its vigour, hardiness, and freedom in blooming during a good part of the season. Dwarfs, 7s, 6d.

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ANEMONE LITTORALIS—A new semi double form from North Africa, flowers variously coloured. 9d.

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CISTUS—The members of this useful genus of dwarf shrub-like plants have been so far too much neglected, when their beauty and general value for the decoration of hot dry positions where not many things will thrive are taken into consideration. The only wonder is that they are not grown by everybody. Small plants when not stated otherwise.

CISTUS AFRICANUS—Distinct. 1s. 6d.

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CISTUS ALBIDUS-Flowers large, rosy purple, yellow at base. 2s.

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CISTUS CYPRIUS—Flowers very large, white, with a dark spot at the base, resembling the Gum Cistus. 2s.

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CENOTHERA PILGRIMI—By far the finest of the yellow Evening Primroses, and a decided improvement on O. fruticosa, to which it is allied. 6d.

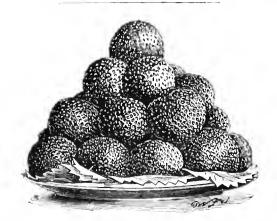
VICIE PYRDNEICA—Dense dwarf taugled stem, 6 inches in height, and studded with large crimson pea-shaped flowers. 1s.

H. Gibbons, Esq., Farm Hill, Waltham Abbey, Essex, October 17th, 1887. I received by parcels post the Herbaceous Plants on Friday as fresh as when taken from the ground, and in the same condition I received the Carnation, &c., on the 10th. With thanks.

STRAWBERRIES FOR 1888.

LAXTON'S " NOBLE" STRAWBERRY.

First-Class Certificate from the Royal Horticultural Society, and the only Fruit Certificated at the Society's Great Provincial Show at Liverpool, July, 1886.



"NOBLE" (FROM PHOTOGRAPHS).

This is a very large and handsome, regularly-formed, flattish, globular-shaped early Strawberry, coming in a few days after "King of the Earlier," and "Black Prince," and of a rich and vinous flavour, flesh firm, and without the objectionable treacly taste common to many large varieties; colour bright crimson-scarlet. Plant very hardy and vigorous, and most prolific, nearly every small runner producing wonderful trusses of large even-sized fruits with comparatively few small; as "Noble" usually ripens in the open-air before forced Strawberries are over, the highest prices have been realised for it in Covent Garden Market during the past two seasons,

> Retail, £2 10s, per 100; 10s, per dozen; Runners laid in 60's half-price extra. Coloured plates, shortly, 6d. each.

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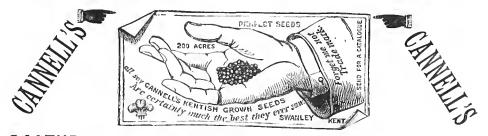
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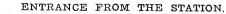
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E are delighted to say that we possess the most select and extensive collection of FLORISTS FLOWERS in Europe, an end it has always been our ambition to attain. Commanding as we do as fine a site for a nursery as could possibly he obtained, with air thoroughly free from all the impurities of town smoke, we are enabled to give our customers the benefit of vigorous, healthy, well-grown country plants, the importance of which cannot well be over estimated, especially if it be a desideratum to produce show flowers, or to attain perfection in their growth; whilst to those

whose greenhouses are in a more confined atmosphere than that of Swanley, the greater robustness of the country-grown plant enables it to buttle more successfully than its weaker neighbour with the town smoke. The "Home of Flowers" is admitted to contain, at all seasons of the year, the finest and most complete display of flowers to be found (Orchids excepted), and it is one of the sights of London, to which all are welcome.

The proximity of the rail to the nursery—the London, Chatham, and Dover Railway Co. having their station in a corner of our grounds—is worthy of attention, as this line being in immediate connection with all the others out of London, enables as to ensure rapid transit to all parts.

We ourselves are passionately fond of flowers and we find the greatest possible gratification in their growth; we thus make it a hobby, and no pains or expense are spared to have nothing but the very best strains in cultivation, the result being an almost unique collection of plants, and the largest stock in the trade. Our greatest pride is in the excellence of our flowers (for which we were awarded the Gold Medal of the Royal Horticultural and Royal Botanical Society of the City of Brussels and Ghent), and in distributing to the most remote corners of the earth the wonderful improvements effected by culture upon the raw material of nature.

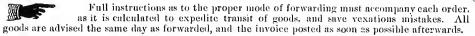
As many as a hundred boxes by post leave Swanley some days, and strange and doubtful as it may appear, upwards of 400,000 labels are used yearly. The whole machinery of our nursery is constructed to carry on a large and rapid trade of the best and most serviceable flowers in cultivation, at the very lowest possible prices consistent with quality, and we beg that every lover of flowers will



tham, and we promise that he shall not depart without seeing something interesting.

Although every care will be taken in the packing and sending of plants, seeds, &c., risk of every description must be borne by the purchaser immediately they are delivered to the Railway Company.

Every article is charged at the very lowest price, therefore no credit can be given. Our object is to give the ready-mency buyers the advantages; they are really entitled to. It may happen that prices lower than ours may semetimes be quoted. This invariably means false economy in a variety of ways—good things must be looked after by good men, who must be fairly paid, and good strains are only procured by unceasing labour and cure.



Say by what rail. Please to write the address plain and in full on each order. No complaints entertained unless made immediately on receipt of goods.

The greatest care is exercised, and atmost liberality shown, when the selection of sorts is left to us.



It is particularly requested that all small orders under 5s, he accompanied with remittance, to avoid the necessity of Booking.

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We have taken more prizes for Fuchsias than any other Firm at the great London shows, and will send every particular how to grow, show, and get the first prize for them, for seven stamps.

All orders by post will be dealt with precisely as if given personally. As the season advances, and the New Plants become cheaper, so are the prices lowered accordingly; and those who send above their value will have additional plants put in to make up the full amount.

It often happens that we are sold out of rooted cuttings of some varieties, and plants are shaken out of pots to complete orders, consequently plant price must be charged.

When plants are publicly advertised by us, the usual trade allowance will not be made.

Anyone having a stock of either of the plants specified herein to dispose of is respectfully requested to forward lowest price and full particulars, &c., and should the same be required they will immediately be communicated with.

To avoid delay and disappointment, all business communications must be sent direct to the firm, addressed "H. CANNELL & SONS," otherwise they will remain unnoticed. Telegraphic address, "CANNELL, SWANLEY."

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Should any amateur or gardener have seed of the above from a choice first-class strain, and would kindly send a fair sample of bloom for inspection, if satisfactory, H. Cannell & Sons, Dealers in all kinds of Florists' Flower Seeds, would be glad to exchange or purchase the same.

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We have every facility for keeping a large stock of everything enumerated in this Catalogue: and are therefore determined to adopt the system of quick sale and ready money. All who enclose remittances will be most liberally dealt with, and those paying within 14 days after receipt of invoice to deduct at the rate of 1s. in the pound.

The Home of Flowers is open for business, &c., from 6 o'clock a.m. until 6 p.m., and 5 o'clock p.m. on Saturday. No visitors admitted on Saturday evenings and Sundays.

Customers are particularly requested, when sending orders for friends (with their own), to do so on separate papers, with each address written plainly, to prevent mistakes.

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E have now so perfected the system of sending Flowers into the most remote parts of the world that success is no longer an uncertainty. The annexed engraving represents the Travelling Plant Case, designed by Dr. Beaumont, one of our East Indian customers, who, on leaving England for several years, on his return journey, took out plants for his Coat Bouquet and other purposes. He writes, en route, from Malta, thus:—



Off Malta.

The plants you packed in my case are all alive and healthy, and look much fresher after the journey than many of the passengers.

These cases, holding from 18 to 36 plants, being always kept in readiness, any lady or gentleman can be supplied with one, packed with our collection of plants, to take with them to any distant country on a day's notice.

Large,	23	inches	long,	13	inches wide,	12	inches deep	•••	•••	20s.
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Nothing so impresses the minds of the natives with the superiority of the Christian as nicely arranged Coat or Hand Bonquets of choice Flowers; and nothing tends to so cheer the mind, and to pass away the time in a foreign land, as one of our transit boxes of plants, with the pleasure of growing them, in the hope of seeing some lovely flowers from one's native land.

Salvador Izquierdo, Esq., Bank of D. Matte, Esq., Santiago, Chili.

I have enclosed a list of plants and seeds, which please forward packed in your unequalled style, and leaving to your discretion how and when to send.

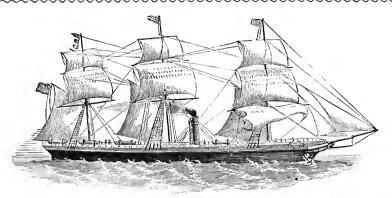
E. A. Crocker, Esq., Foochow, China, 28th February, 1887. The Bouvardias arrived by post in good condition.

Mr. M. J. Battley, Edeu Hill Nurseries, Fort Eric. Ontario, Canada, 23rd April, 1887. The plants reached here 21st March, in splendid condition.

F. H. James, Esq., Lancaster Street, Erie, New York, 20th July, 1887.

Package through from Liverpool in sixteen days in prime condition; it is a pleasure to deal with a first-class house.

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Mr. F. H. Gifford, Fall River, Mass., U.S.A.

I have received lifty Chrysanthemum plants from you. They have all come in good condition.

E. A. CROCKER, Esq., Foochow, China.

The plants you sent Mr. Odell have all turned out well. I have grown plants from cuttings of his which could not be touched by any others in Chiun.

Mr. Luther Berbank, Santa Rosa, Cal., U.S.A., January 3rd, 1887.

The plants which you mailed me December 13th, 1886, arrived in splendid condition.

E. S. Dixon, Esq., Guines (Pas-de-Calais), France, Januara 27th, 1887.

I thank you much for your Floral Guide just received, which so well combines the useful with the agreeable, and enclose stamps for 1s. 4d. to cover the cost and postage thereof.

R. HAY, Esq., C.E., Dunedin, New Zealand.

The Aurieulas arrived in good order.

Dinan, France, April 25th.

Miss Bullford has just received the two boxes containing the plants sent by Messrs. Cannell in fine condition, and it is certainly a better way than by private hand.

T. A. HARTMANN, Esq., Offenbach o. M., Germany, May 7th, 1887.

The Chrysanthemums arrived in good order.

James Gaze, Esq., 10, Grenfell Street, Adelaide, South Australia, April 16th, 1887.

I am much obliged to you for again sending me your Floral Guide. It is both useful and interesting, and contains an amount of information well worth the sum. I now enclose 1s, 6d. (in stamps), which, I think, will cover postage.

W. Belliamy, Esq., Heart's Content, Newfoundland, June 6th. 1887.

The two puckages of plants arrived in splendid condition last Wednesday. Your system of packing is certainly ahead of anything this side of the water.

E. A. CROCKER, Esq., Foochow, China.

Many thanks for plants sent by Parcels Post. Of the Geraniums sent, twelve are in full growth, and the Fuchsias are in good condition. I look forward with much interest to the time for them to flower.

Mr. N. E. REIST, Lime Rock, Lancaster Co., Pa., U.S.A., July 14th. 1887.

1 beg to acknowledge the receipt of all plants and seeds in good condition that I ordered last spring. The Double Begonias have created quite a sensation amongst florists in our locality; their size and profusion of bloom is a marvel. The Dahlia Chilwell Beauty is indeed a grand beauty.

Mr. Geo. Downton, Gardener to G. Cox, Esq., Las Zorras, Valparaiso, Chili.

May 18th, 1887.

Knowing your house is famed for its special mode of packing, and being desirons of obtaining some of the finest varieties of plants, Carnations and Picotees, I wish you to forward by post, in two or more dispatches, a collection of thirty varieties, embracing the best types of each class,

A. C. McFarlane, Esq., 77, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta, 5th April, 1887.

The last batch of Chrysanthennins I got out from another firm suffered pitifully. I will not say a word about the packing for the order I now send, your world-wide reputation in this line is sufficient guarantee that it will be all that can be desired.

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Rev. J. H. Walton, 4, Fort Road, Bangalore, 8. India, August 6th, 1887. From your seeds friends and myself have taken prizes for Pansies, Pelargoniums, Gladioli, and Begonias—the three latter being the chief features of our Show. The Superintendent of the gardens had your exquisite Begonias labelled with your name; they drew crowds of people. Zonals surprisingly beautiful, grand blooms; we never saw such large trusses, rich pips, and varied colours. Your tirm is highly spoken of here. I hope to be in England next April, and shall come and see your noted Home of Flowers, and take a lot back with me. Bangalore is one of the finest places in India for flowers.

E. J. Dowling, Esq., Oamarn, New Zealand, June 2nd, 1887. I have lent your Catalogue to a gentleman living here, with a recommendation to him to send you an order. He is a good hand at Chrysanthemans, which grow to perfection here, and I want to see him with all the later additions spoken of by you. He is a constant exhibitor at our Horticultural Shows, so I hope he will send you a good order, and give you a chance of improving our Floral Exhibitions.

Mr. Carl Jensen. Planteskolen, "Skovdal," ved Aarlins, Denmark, October 15th, 1887.

Many thanks for plants to hand yesterday, all safe and in fine condition, and are all that I expected.

The last lot of Begonia Tubers came to hand in good condition. Louise Bouchet is certainly a "blooming wonder," as well as being extremely pretty. Your Beaconsfield Primulas are a great success; out of the single packet of seed received I raised about 150 plants, amongst which many are distinct and beautiful varieties. I sent a box of blooms to the Horticultural Editor of the "Leader," a leading Melbourne newspaper, and enclose a cutting of his note thereon, which I feel sure you will be pleased to receive as a printed testimony from the Antipodes of the excellence of your seeds:—

"Melhourne 'Leader,' September 3rd, 1887. "We are in receipt of twenty varieties of Hybrid Primroses from Mr. Thomas Pennefather, Elsternwick, who raised them from seed received from Messrs. Cannell & Sons. The strain is known as the Beaconsfield Primroses. The flowers are exceedingly beautiful, and, owing to their being from a cross between the Polyantius and the Primrose, most of them are variegated with two or three colours, some showing their Primrose and others the Polyantius origin; many of the latter being of exceedingly rich colours, while one in particular is as finely laced as any florist's flower. Mr. Pennefather finds them very hardy, and by fertilisation has raised others from them which are now commencing to flower, and are, apparently, also very handsome."

Mr. J. M. Davis, Haverhill, Mass., U.S.A., February 11th, 1887 Your beautiful Catalogue of Flowers safe to hand.—I thank you for your kind remembrance.

Mr. J. Richmond, Bath Beath. New Utrecht, King's Co., Long Island, America.

February 18th, 1887.

I received a collection of flower seeds from my uncle in London last April from your establishment, they were something grand; in fact, my friends were always admiring them for their beauty. They were something wonderful.

Messrs. Brackenridge & Co., Govanstown, M4., U.S.A., January 28th, 1887. We are pleased to report the arrival, after their long journey, of your shipment of roots in good condition.

Mr. P. Strickland, 31, Emerald St. N., Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, October 4th, 1887. I am pleased to tell you that I took first prize with the Single and Double Begonias you sent me at the great Central Fair last week; they were considerably better than all others shown. The plants you last sent were in fine condition when received—also seeds—twenty-six days only from the time I wrote the order.

Hamilton (Ontario) Evening Times says:—"Among other rare and fashionable flowers shown were some beautiful specimens of Begonias, entered by Mr. Strickland, and imported by him originally from the celebrated English Horticulturists, Messrs. II. Cannell & Sons, of Swanley, Kent, England."

Mr. C. Mason, 166, Rebecca Street, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, June 27th, 1887. A friend of ours got some plants from you in the Spring, which arrived in splendid condition, and are now in bloom; kindly say best time for me to bave some.

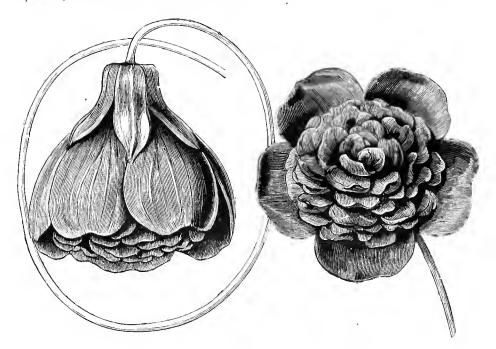
Mr. John Foley, Heaton Street, Timarn, Canterbury, New Zealand, 22nd April, 1887. I received the seeds, &c., from you safely, and beg to thank you for your promptness—76 days only from the day I posted the letter till I received the goods.

IMPROVED PLANTS.

Nothing is hailed with more joy by all lovers of Florienlture than gradual and marked improvement in our Florists' Flowers from year to year. Changes without attractiveness are of little or no value; new colours and stout dwarf growth are qualities immediately sought for. We should be glad to hear from any amateurs or gardeners having new and improved varieties of plants enumerated in our Floral Guide; they must be a decided advance on all existing kinds.

ABU'TILONS.

O grow them they only require the ordinary cultivation of the Fuchsia, and if placed in a little heat early they will produce innumerable quantities of bell-shaped flowers, of beautiful and various colours; opened out and the petals turned back in a reflex form, they are instantly transformed into another and distinct flower 2 inches across; for baskets, vases, button-holes, and decorations, they are most valuable, particularly if a few Violets are threaded through the centre of the flowers. They continue to bloom in an ordinary greenhouse all the winter, and if on the 1st of May they are planted out, they will form the most continuous flowering shrubs until the frost comes, when they can be easily lifted or propagated by cuttings taken from the hard wood early in September, and struck in a mild bottom heat.



ABUTILON, DOUBLE FLOWERED.

1. THOMPSONI FLORE PLENO—Habit and foliage the same as the old *Thompsont*, but producing very double flowers of a rich orange, veiued crimson; quite novel, and certainly the most useful of all this family; for cut flowers a gem. 1s.



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- 3. ADMIRATION Light pink, shaded salmon, flowers of good form and shape; pretty.
- 4. ANNA CROZY-Deep pink, shaded lilac, distinctly veined white, splendid shape; habit dwarf and branching.
- 5. BOULE DE NEIGE-Of the purest white, robust and vigorous, throws its flowers cutside the foliage; the best white of the family.
- 6. BRILLIANT-Of a bright red colour, free, dwarf habit.
- 7. CLOTH OF GOLD Golden yellow.
- smooth flower, of great substance. 2s. 8. CANARY BIRD-Clear yellow. good habit; distinct.
- 9. CHRYSOSTEPHANUM(Couronned'Or) $-\Lambda$ most distinct variety, flowers bright yellow, fine form and substance, the stamens extending quite an inch beyond the corolla, and of the brightest yellow, bold foliags. 2s. 6d

- 10. DELICATE PEACH As namedenotes, delicate peach, medium size, splendid shape, good habit: distinct.
- 11. EMPEROR-Claret-crimson, large and
- 12. ECLIPSE—Rich orange, shaded scarlet. crimson and purple veined; habit good.
- 13. ELEGANTISSIMUM—Bright rosy-red, with veins much deeper in colour; flowers large.
- 14. FUTURE FAME Very deep rose. shaded crimson. 1s. 6d.
- 15. GOLDEN GEM Golden yellow, free flowering; the finest and best variety in this class. 1s. 6d.
- 16. IGNEUM, syn. INSIGNE-Very interesting and highly ornamental variety, foliage very large and beautifully netted; quite distinct.



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- 20.LUSTROUS—Bright red, fine shaped stout flowers; free.
- 21. MISS LAURA POWELL—One of the best yellows; dwarf and free. 1s. 6d.
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28. STRIATA SPLENDIDA—Brightorange colour, beautifully and regularly striped rich crimson; fine shape and form.

29. SILVER BELL-French white, deep red veins, distinct and pretty. 1s. 6d.

3d. THE PREMIER—Rosy-purple, the rose shade being of intense brightness; large, 1s. 6d.

31. THE GEM-Deep red, slightly tinted buff, veined deep crimson, flowers medium size.

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flowers large, habit compact. 1s. 6d.

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All those not priced, 1s. each; 9s. per dozen.

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34. NÆVEUM MARMORATUM—Of free growth, leaves large, broad, and downy; beautifully marbled with pale green and yellow; yellow, streaked with dark orange. A handsome foliage plant, and very suitable for bedding. 1s. cach: 9s. per dozen.

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grower, splendid flowers. 1s, each: 9s, per dozen 36. THOMPSONI — This most beautiful blotched leaf plant forms a grand object in the flower and ornamental garden. 9d. each; 6s. per dozen.

Moorside, Lancaster, January 26th, 1887.

Mrs. STOREY encloses 1s. 3d. in stamps, and considers it ridiculously small for the comprehensive catalogue which Messrs. Cannell have so kindly sent her.

Mr. R. Millican, Crosby Lodge, Carlisle, May 6th, 1887.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of plants. Splendid condition, not a single leaf deranged. Your system of packing is really very good.

Mr. J. Scott, Grizedale, Hawksbead, Ambleside. May 13th. 1887.

I beg to say that I have never had better plants sent me before. They were very well packed indeed, and I am very much pleased with them.

Mr. J. Mitchella Oulton, Lowestoft, May 19th, 1887.

The plants to hand this morning in excellent condition. I am well pleased with them.

Mr. John Taylor. Gardener to Rt. Hon. Viscount Clifden.

Storrington Abbey, Pulboro', Sussex. The plants reached here to-day in good condition. I brought your firm to the notice of my employer, as I have proved your plants to be very superior.

J. Peel, Esq., Danyrallt., Llangadock. S. Wales, May 24th, 1887.

The plants were longer in reaching me than they should have been, but they seem noue the worse for their detention; and I must express my satisfaction with the way you have executed the order.

R. P. PULLEN, Esq., Hartpary, Glos., May 24th, 1887.

The plants to hand, and in nice condition. They were beautifully packed.

J. WELLER, Esq., 48, Malling Street, Cliffe. Lewes.

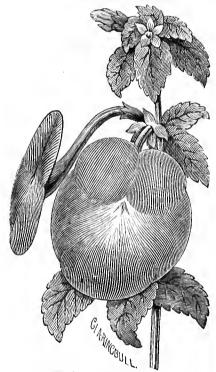
I am much obliged by your kind attention. The plants were beautifully packed.

Mr. W. P. Tonax, 46. Midchnrch Street, Dublin, May 26th, 1887.

The plants arrived in splendid condition. My friend was right when he told me to send to you for whatever plants I wanted.

ACHIME'NES.

HESE consist of small, scaly corms or tubers. Shake out the dry soil any time during the winter, and about March or April place three or four in a longitudinal position in a 6-inch pot, just below the surface, put them in a warm temperature, free from cold draughts, as they like plenty of heat, water gently until they get into full growth, and after flowering gradually dry them. The ordinary rich soil suits them, and if well cared for, they are splendid things for decoration all through July, August, and September. One of our 100 ft. houses has again been a splendid sight. Tubers from October to March, 3d.; our selection, 2s. 6d. per dozen.



1. AMBROSE VERSCHAFFELT-Fine

white, with dark centre. 1s.
2. ADMIRATION—Crimson, shaded purple, white centre, 1s.

3. AZUREA-Light manve-blue, large white eye.

All those not priced, 9d. each.

4. CARL WOLFARTH-Large, purplish erimson; very free.

5. CHERUB-Pure white, slightly suffused

blue, centre light purple; fine.

6. DIADEM - Clear cherry red, shaded orange, golden vellow centre, fimbriated lobes; pretty. 1s.
7. DR. BUENZOD—Violet, with centre

prettily spotted crimson and yellow. 1s.

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10. FIREFLY — Purplish crimson, light

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11. GEORGIANA—Deep crimson, slightly shaded purple, orange centre, long tube; pretty. 1s.

12. GREISTRECHI—Fiery red, yellow eye.
13. GRANDIFLORA—Deep like purple, white centre, pretty foliage.

14. GARIBALDI - Rich rosy red, centre yellow spotted crimson; small and pretty.

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21. MAGNET-Deep purplish libre, flowers large and freely produced.

22. MADAME AMBROSE VERSCHAF-FELT, Pure white, heavily veined deep purple. 1s.

23. MAUVEPERFECTION—Deepmanve, lighter centre; very free. 1s.

21. MOORE'S PERFECTION-Deep satiny lilac; fine form.

25. MARGRETTA—Pure white, medium size; free.

26. PATENS—Deep reddish violet, light centre.

27. PINK PERFECTION—Large and fine flowers, satiny lilac.

28. RETICULATA—Deep manye, veined in upper lobes deep purple, lower much lighter, white centre.

29. ROSEA MAGNIFICA-Bright rose, with a minutely spotted yellow eye. Is.

30. SIR TREHERNE THOMAS-Rich purplish crimson, beautiful colour, 1s.

These prices quoted are for potted plants.

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UR bed of seedlings has again this year been splendid. Hundreds of people who never before liked, or even took any particular notice, of the various colours of this plant, exclaimed. "How very beantiful, I never cared for Snap Dragons before!" The following are exceedingly fine, and if planted in a good open situation, with deep rich soil, they would be sure to give a charm in every garden. Seed from this superb collection, 1s. per packet.

- 1. AGNES—White, splashed soft purple, soft yellow mouth.
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- 4. ALLAN LAIRD—Canary yellow and crimson.
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 - 6. AMAZON—Crimson self.
- 7. AMETHYST—French white, mottled crimson.
- 8. AVENIR-Bronzy yellow, striped crimson; extra fine.
- 9. BRIGHTNESS—Crimson, yellow mouth. 10. CERES—White, mottled and striped
- crimson.
 11. CHARMING—Yellow, splashed crimson.
- 12. CLARA—White, heavily splashed crimson.
- 13. CLIO—Soft yellow, deeper mouth.
 14. DASH—Bronze, streaked crimson, yellow
- month.

 15. DELICATA French white, heavily mottled crimeou
- mottled crimson.

 16. DISTINCTION—Tube white, canary-
- yellow mouth, slightly spotted.
 17. EVA—Bronzyyellow, deep yellow mouth.
- 18. EVE—White, striped and mottled crimson.
- 19. FLAMINGO—White, striped and spotted deep rose, large.
- 20. GEM-White, striped rosy purple.
- 21. GEORGE McLEOD—French white, heavily striped crimson; fine.
- 22. GIPSY—French white, mottled and striped deep lake.
- 23. G. WHITE Very distinctly striped and mottled crimson.
- 24. GRAND CROSS-White, striped crimson.
- 25. JOHN McLAREN French white, slightly spotted crimson.
- 26. J. O'GROAT Deep yellow mouth, mottled crimson and brown.



27. MIMIC — Yellow, mottled crimson, striking.

28. PRINCE HENRY—Plant purple, deep yellow mouth.

29. PRINCESS BEATRICE-White, striped crimson.

30. SENSATION—Yellow, striped crimson, deeper mouth.

31. THE MOOR—Intense crimson maroon, fine spike.

32. VENUS-White, spotted crimson.

33. WM. MENZIES-Soft yellow, deeper mouth.

All the above 6d. each; 4s. per dozen.

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6. SWANLEY BLUE—Never attains more than 6 or 8 inches in height, 6d. each; 4s. per doz.; 20s. per 100; April, 16s. per 100.

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Mr. C. Neville, Lower Sprotbro', near Doncaster, Yorkshire, May 31st, 1887. Your Clematis are doing admirably. I am very much pleased with them.

Mr. J. Selway, Updown Park, Sandwich, June 4th, 1887. Begonias came to hand in first-class condition.

Mr. Jons Arlin, The Gardens, Hasfield Court, near Gloncester. April 25th, 1887. Plants arrived safe.—I find them strong and healthy.—Many thanks.

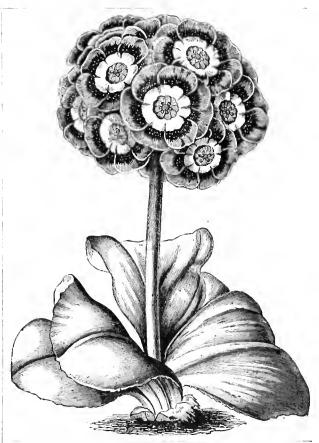
E. Delatase, Esq., Woodford, St. Brelade's, Jersey, Owing to frosty weather, and consequent difficulty of locomotion, I only received the hamper of plants this morning. They were so beautifully packed that nothing suffered. Kindly send your account.

Ballymena, Ireland, January, 1887.

The civility of your communication seems to me congenial with the character of your employment, the atmosphere and operations connected with a garden appearing somehow to exercise a kindly genial influence on those engaged in them. In my drudgery here, in teaching boys what Xenophon and Virgil wrote some two thousand years ago on planting, sowing, &c., I see some evidence of such a tone among gar eners of the olden time: and to meet with such fresher illustration of the principle as is furnished in this recent note of yours affords a pleasure worthy of due acknowledgment on the part of yours faithfully, Robert King.

AURIC'ULAS.

UR frames of these are amongst the most charming sights we know of. and are certain to attract notice from those most oblivious to the beauties of flowers, their perfect form and wonderful colouring rendering them the cynosure of all eyes; whilst, in addition to their great leveliness, they possess that great desideratum in flowers, longlasting blossoms. Of a very velvety substance, the flowers are as perfectly circular in outline as if drawn with compasses. To grow them it is necessary to have a frame about four feet wide, the sides of which hang on hinges, the object of this being to let them have plenty of air. It is only necessary to close the frame in very severe weather, or when the wind is very keen; and in this latter case. only the windward side should be shut. The plants should be potted once a-year in two-year old rotten turfy brown loam, with a little decayed cowmanure added-July being the best month for the operation, at which time the plants can be propagated by division. After potting they should be kept shaded for a while, a little stale whitewash smeared on the glass being as effective a way as any. Do not let the plants get too dry at any time; and it is advisable to slightly stir the surface of the soil, but not so as to disturb the roots. It is advisable



to place the pots on a good firm surface of cinders, so that worms cannot work their way into them. If attacked by greenfly, these should either be brushed off or the plants funnigated. These points attended to, and the ordinary requirements of any florists' flowers, with which all gardeners are acquainted, are all that is necessary to procure a real treat for three weeks—a mere nothing compared with the many expensive and troublesome hobbies we see indulged in on all sides. It is greatly in the favour of Show Auriculas that they always realise a good price, even when sold by public anction.

NEW SHOW AURICULAS.

Raised by Mr. J. Douglas.

CONSERVATIVE—White edge, the most beautiful in this class; very neat in habit, green foliage; trusses of flowers borne well above the foliage; perfect form, edge pure white, black ground colonr, rich yellow tuhe, paste pure white. Awarded Premier Prize, National Aurienla Exhibition, 1883. First-Class Certificates, National and Royal Botunic Societies 5s.

DUKE OF ALBANY—The darkest self Auricula yet raised; flowers full size. The paste very pure white, tube rich orange. Truss full size and green foliage. 10s. 6d.

MRS. MOORE—Green or grey edge. The autumn formed trusses produce green edged flowers at the usual season, vigorous habit. Flowers of large size, edge of petul well rounded, paste white, tube bright vellow, well proportioned. First-Class Certificates, National Auricula Society; Crystal Palace; Royal Botanic and Royal Horticultural Societies. 10s. 6d.

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AMELIA HARDWIDGE—Distinct and bandsome variety, rich maroon crimson, shading to reddish crimson; bright yellow centre. First Prize and First-Class Certificate, National Auricula Society, 2s. 6d.

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Seeds, 4s. per packet.

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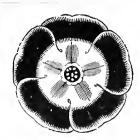
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BRONZE QUEEN (Turner) -Very novel in colour, the pips large and smooth, with a good bright vellow paste: extra fine. 1s. 6d.

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Aurientas, named garden varieties free flowering and effective, our selection, 6s. dozen.

Scedling Alpines, of a most beautiful strain and in great variety, 6s. and 10s, per dozen. Seed saved from the above collection, 2s. 6d. per packet.

11. P. Harvey, Esq., Tregolis Road, Trnro, January 21st, 1887.

Your Floral Guide to hand, for which I am obliged. I value it very much. Every year you manage to improve it. I have pleasure in sending you herewith 1s, 3d, stamps for same. I was much pleased in every way with the plants. The packing was well done. The Prinulas are blooming, and are beauties: the Cinerarias growing well.

Mr. J. Lowrie, I. Evers Terrace, High Road, East Finchley, London, N., August 15th, 1887. The plants you sent Mr, Davis, of Highbury, have all turned out well, and that gentleman is highly pleased with them.

Messrs. Geoge & Co., 90, St. John Street, Clerkenwell, London, August 17th, 1887. We are obliged by the care taken with this small order. The articles arrived in splendid condition, and have given very great satisfaction.

Bego'nias, Tuberous.

ROBABLY no family of plants has been hybridised with such success as this, the result being flowers, both double and single, of innumerable shades of colour, ranging from pure white through rose and pink to intense crimson and fiery scarlet, and from the deepest yellow to tawny brown and brilliant orange.

It is the custom in the trade, immediately they raise a good variety, to hybridise it and get seed, from which they get bulbs, which they sell as identical with the parent; but it is a notorious fact that the offspring raised by this means are rarely as good as the original, so that the result is very disappointing to purchasers. We, on the contrary, have learned by experience to propagate direct from the choice kind without a second generation intervening, so that our friends can rely abso-

lutely on obtaining plants true to name.



We have much the largest, finest, and best kept collection in the world, and although we were the first that were awarded a Gold Medal for this family, and have ever since maintained and improved upon them, yet, because we have been fortunate enough to be able to sell all the named varieties we could get without advertising them, it has been thought we were far behind those who made their strain more public. This is quite a mistake—we are far in advance of any other grower of this class, and the last two years have made such immense strides, both in hybridising, raising seedlings of sterling merit and growing them, that Mr. T. Baines (assuredly a good and impartial judge), reporting for the Gardeners' theoniete, speaks of them in these words:—"Some of the doubles are as large as moderate-sized Paonies, and others with prominent characters, flowers made up of a succession of petals, resemble a well-formed cupped Rose. The singles (City of London), immense flowers. I measured this flower, it was fully six inches across. King of the Begonias, intense deep crimson, darker and brighter than Zonal Pelargonium (Heavy Jacoby). Neither their size or colour has ever been equalled." We have thousands of seedlings selected in their various colours, and but a trifle inferior to the named varieties, and we have good reason to hope that during next summer we shall far exceed our previous efforts. Eyen such expert critics as Messrs. Gumbleton and Poë have described our Begonias as wonderful. We invite all who take an interest in them to visit as any time from June to October.

Their culture is of the simplest. Pot up the tubers in January, with the crowns just above the soil, in a compost unde up of three parts peat and sand and the remainder light loam, using pots just large enough to take the bulb; start them into growth in a warm greenhouse, and when they have made some young wood, shift them into 6, 7, or 8-inch pots, using more loam in the compost than when first potted. They will speedily commence to show blossom, and when one or two feet high, supply them with our Real Mannre (see directions at end of Catalogue), and be careful that they are not placed in a temperature above 60°; excessive fire heat and glaring sun heat are most injurious.

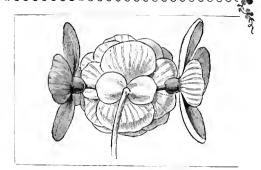
Above all, keep them growing, and never let them get a check.

FOR NEW DOUBLES FOR 1888 SEE COLOURED PAPER.

DOUBLE BEGONIAS.

succeeded now in raising many very choice varieties onrselves. The eight houses we devote to Double and Single Begonias will be found to contain a greater selection of colour and better grown plants than those of any other firm, a fact which is vonched for by our customers having taken probably twice as many prizes for this family. We have had some blooms far finer than the engravings seem to indicate, the flowers we have exhibited having caused surprise and astonishment to all who beheld them. Mounted on wire separately, they form charming ornaments for button-holes or bouquets, whilst their lasting properties render them desirable for vases or table decorations. Their culture is just the same as for the single kinds, and no better advice can be offered as regard's them than in the preceding article.

There is a great novelty and peculiarity in the structure of the flowers of both single and double Begonias. It will be seen by the engraving that the two side flowers are small and single, with a seed vessel, which the centre and larger flower does not possess, thus clearly showing that there are two female flowers to every male.



Doubte varieties that will be found well adapted for baskets, δv_* , marked *.

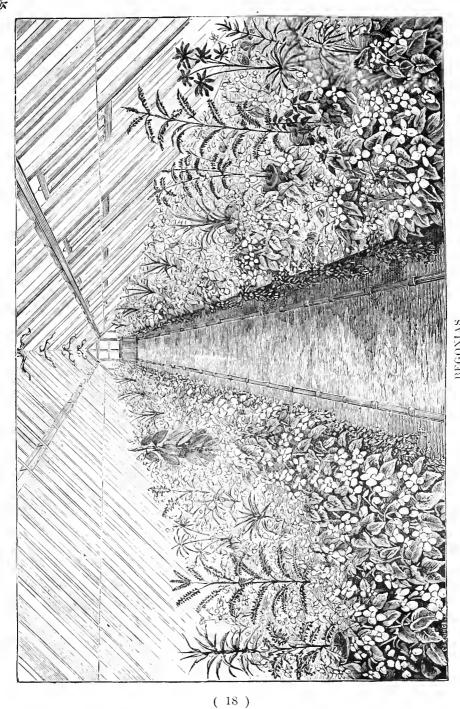
ORANGE-SCARLET.

- l. ADOLPHE VAN DEN HEEDE— Bright orange-scarlet, the orange shade predominating, double flowers. 3s. 6d.
- 2. ACHILLÈ—Large, fine flowers, of a deep scarlet colour; good. 2s,
- 3. COMMANDANT BASSET Large, double flowers, of a soft red shade, beautiful green folioge, 3s. 6d.
- green foliage, 3s, 6d.
 4. ECLAT—Bright orange scarlet, double and full; good habit and free. 1s, 6d.
- 5. EUGENE LEQUIN—Guard petals scarlet, centre orange, tipped scarlet. 2s. 6d.
- 6. **FÉLIX CROUSSE**—Producing fine large flowers of a splendid shade of orange-scarlet.
- 7. INTERMEDIA PLENA Producing almost the largest flowers in the double class, of a soft orange-scarlet colour; attractive. 5s.
- 8. ETNA—Of a reddish scarlet shade, full double flowers; strong habit, almost creet. 10s.

- 9. LÉON DE ST. JEAN—One of the finest, scarlet-red, very double and full; dwarf. 5s.
- 10. *INCENDIE—A suitable variety for baskets, rich, reddish-scarlet shade; medium size. 78, 6d.
- 11. M. RONDEAU Soft scarlet, shaded orange, large double flowers; free. 3s. 6d.
- 12. M. THIROUX Clear orange-scarlet, moderate size flowers. 3s, 6d.
- 15. MR. MALLET—Light orange-scarlet, large flowers. 2s.

SERRATED FLOWERS.

- 17. BÉRÉNICE—Guard petals bright coralred, rose centre, free and full flower. 1s. 6d.
- 18. *CLOVIS Beautiful orange-scarlet, flowers full. 1s. 6d.
- 19. DUCHESSE DE CAMBACERES—Of a bright red colour, medium size; free and effective. 1s. 6d.
- 20. *ESTHER—Guard petals crimson, rosy pink centre, very double, and free flowering. 1s. 6d.
- 21. *LOUIS BOUCHET-Brilliant orange-scarlet. We know that novelties are, as a rule looked upon in a spirit of incredulity, and therefore it is likely that we may be thought guilty of exaggeration in styling this the plant of the future; but those who have known us and followed the many sterling new plants we have been fortunate enough to introduce, and have proved the truth of our statement, will acquit us of any such thing. We are sure that this plant is destined to be seen in every window as commonly as Geraniums, and for this reason: it is easily propagated. The tubers may be cut to eyes like Dahlins; and as to culture, it may be said to cultivate itself. The potato-like root should be potted in a 5-in. pot, in a compost similar to that already recommended for Begordas, and placed in a cool greenhouse near the glass, when it will grow into a facst charmingly-shaped plant, which seems to defy the attacks of either insects or disease. We mention that we staged twenty-four plants at the Royal Botanical Show in 1885, for which we were awarded a First-Class Certificate as a proof of its exceeding beauty, and Mr. Goldring told us he was so struck with its compact habit and the certainty of its becoming a general favourite, that he returned three times to look at it, thinking it one of the best novelties of the Show. Connoisseurs are apt to deery all double Begonias, the blooms of which are not as large as a Parony; and whilst agreeing with them up to a certain point, we can see real beauty in a gracefully-formed plant smothered with levely blossoms, and we are sure that time will see Louis Bouchet in every collection, thus proving the correctness of our proplicey.
- Mr. T. Harrison, Peel Street, Longbridge, Hayes, Longport, Stoke-on-Trent. June 8th, 1887. I received your Floral Guide on the 1st inst.; it is the best 1 have ever seen. I enclose you 15 stamps for it.



BEGONIAS. Our Eight houses of Begonias last summer were unquestionably the finest sight ever seen of this family.

22. MARIE TIMBERT—Soft scarlet, lighter centre, beautiful Fuchsia-like hubit; free. 1s. 6d.



A model Begonia as grown in our Nursery.

Mr. J. W. Taylor, 81, Ann Street, Dundee, October 21st, 1887.

I gained first prize with your Single Begonias, both in Downfield and Dundee Shows, and there was not one at either that could come within three inches of the size of my flowers. I have taken first prize from all the amateurs for three years. I was also first for Brouzes and Fuchsias, all got from you. My collection of Begonias from you is a show in themselves, and a talk over the country. Several gardeners, who have a good collection themselves, came a great distance to see them, but all admitted they had nothing to be compared to mine.

CRIMSON-SCARLET, &c.

- 23. COQUETTE—Very rich carmine, centre extra double. 2s. 6d.
- 24. DAVISI HYBRIDA FL. PL.—Rich crimson, shaded scarlet; very free and effective. 2s.
- 25. DAVISI HYBRIDA FL, PL, SUPERBA Medium-size double flowers, of a very rich shade of magentacrimson; free, 2s. 6d.
- 26. *FRANCIS BUCHNER—Clear reddish cerise, shaded orange, deeper centre; good habit, very large, 3s. 6d.
- 27. FULGURANT—Deep crimson, very double and full; free and effective. 2s.
- 29. GLOIRE DE CLAMART— Of a soft shade of carmine, red shaded, deeper in centre, fine large flowers; good habit. 3s, 6d.
- 30 *GLOIRE DE NANCY—Bright crimson-searlet, flowers large and produced freely; foliage both beautiful and peculiar; extra fine. 1s. 6d.
- 31. GOLIATH—Producing enormous size double flowers, of a rich shade of cerise-crimson; fine. 6s.
- 32. LE GRAND CITOYEN—Beautiful soft cerise, deeper centre, large, well expanded flowers, pretty and distinct. 2s. 6d.
- 33. MAROON—Rich erimson, shaded mahogany, medium-sized flowers; distinct. 3s. 6d.
- 34. MDLLE. EUGÉNIE BOYER—Rich rosy carmine, shaded orange in centre, erect flowering, beautiful colour. 5s.
- 35. M. DUVIVIER—Beautiful rosy crimson, very double and fine. 3s. 6d.



SHOWING FORM OF SCARLET AND CRIMSON SECTIONS.

- 36. MAJOR STUDDERT Very large flowers, of a bright red shade; strong habit. 5s.
- 37. OTHELLO Deep reddish crimson, mediam size flowers. 2s. 6d.
- 39. ROBIN ADAIR—Medium sized, neatly formed flowers, rich glowing crimson, bushy habit. 3s. 6d.
- 40. RUGGIERI—Deep cerise, shaded scarlet, double flowers, a pretty shade of colour. 3s.
- 41. SIR BEALBY—Beautiful soft crimson, deeper centre, flowers large and double. 5s.

WHITE.

- 42. *ANTOINETTE GUÉRIN—Large full flowers, broad petals, pure white, shaded cream in centre; large. 5s.
- 43. BLANCHE JEANPIERRE Pure white, large and double, the centre petals slightly tinted cream; free. 3s. 6d.
- 44. *BLANCHE DUVAL—Creamy white, centre also, guard petals tinged deep blush, large double flowers of the finest form, dwarf and free. First-Class Certificate. 5s.
- 45. FLORENT PAUWELS—Blush white, yellow centre, medium size. 3s. 6d.
- 47. FRIEDRICH RUCKERI—French white, shaded and edged deep blush, medium-size flowers, double; free. 3s. 6d.
- 48. LUCIE LEMOINE—Pure white flowers, very erect. First-Class Certificate. 5s.
- 49 *MADAME VINCENOT Large and double. French white, centre marked yellow; fine. 5s.
 - 51. VIRGINALIS-7s. 6d.

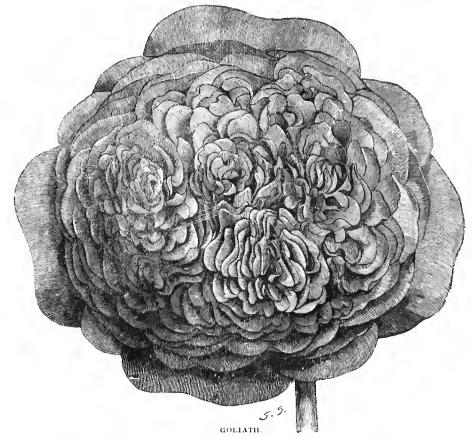
ROSY PINK.

- 52. AGNES SOREL—Very full and well-formed, light salmon-pink, deeper centre, very large. 2 s. 6d.
- 54. FLAMME DE PUNCH—Erect habit, flowers full, beautiful rich rosy pink; good. 2s.
 - 55. GRANDVILLE-Guard petals silvery

blush, centre very double, and of a beautiful shade of pinky salmon, at times edged pink; erect flowering, free and pretty. 3s. 6d.

58. LOUISE DE GOUSSAINCOURT—Of a pleasing shade of light pink, flowers very large, and of a perfect rosette form; dwarf and free. 7s. 6d.

- 60. MADAME CASTAIGNEZ—One of the most distinct, large and double, finely-formed, of a rieh glowing shade of rosy pink. Received First-Class Certificate. 7s. 6d.
- 61. *MADAME ARNOULT—Of a most pleasing shade of pinky blush, slightly edged deeper, flowers almost circular, but of the finest shape and form: liabit free and dwarf. Received First-Class Certificate. 58.
- 64. M. KETELEER Flowers full and double, of a beautiful flesh rose colour; extra fine. 2s.
- 66. **PYRAMID**—For general decoration, wilf be found a useful variety, rose-coloured flowers. 2s. 6d.
- 67. M. PAUL DE VICQ—Flowers well formed and very double, bright carmine-cerise of a pleasing shade; distinct and good. Received a First-Class Certificate, 7s. 6d.
- 68. *ROSAMONDE Flowers large and double, of a beantiful rosy pink, very vigorous; by far the finest in this class, and one of the largest Begonias. 1s. 6d.
- 69. **ROSETTE**—A very pleasing and attractive variety, of a pinky-blash shade, delicately edged, deep pink centre; medium size. 5s.



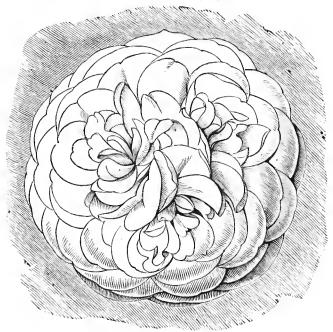
70. SOUVENIR DE MONS. THIERS—Intense rosy pink, Anemone-formed centre: free and dwarf. 2s. 6d.

71. SUZANNA HACHETTE—Fine rosy pink, very large and double, erect habit; one of the best. 3s. 6d.

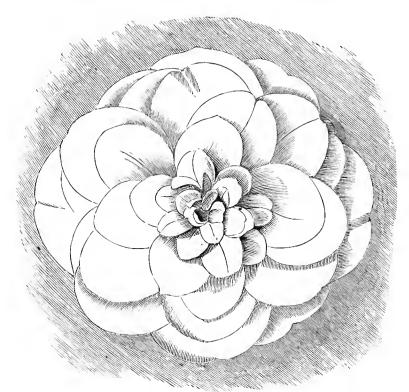
Mr. J. Hammert, 34, Leam Terrace East, Leamington September 30th, 1887. The Begonius arrived safely yesterday in grand condition, and hope to send you a further order shortly.



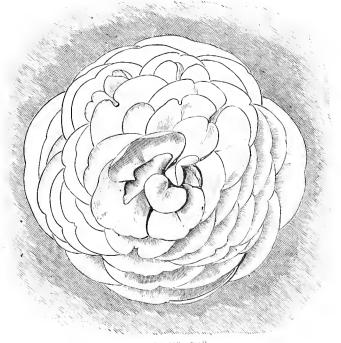
BEGONIA MADAME ARNOULT.



begonia gabrielle legros. (22)



BEGONIA FELIX CROUSSE.



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SALMON-COLOURED.

- 72. ANNA, COUNTESS OF KINGSTON
 -Salmon, shaded yellow in centre. 5s.
- 73. *COMTESSE H. DE CHOISEUL—Light salmon rose, occasionally white in centre, very free, habit dwarf; extra fine. 2s. 6d.

74. Dr. BAILLON—Deep salmon, fine large double flowers. 5s.

- 75. DOCTEUR CARNUS—Clear bright orange-salmon of a pleasing shade, habit good; free. 3s. 5d.
- 76. GÉNÉRAL CHANZY—Very bright rosy salmon, very double and fine; extra. 3s. 6d.

77. JEAN SOUPERT—Deep salmon, very large and double: extra. 5s.

78. JOHN POË—A most distinct and free-flowering variety, bright China rose, suffused clear rose and salmon, double and well-formed, erect flowering. 4s.

79. JULES LEQUIN—Of a bright shade of salmon-red, extra large fine flowers, very double;

dark green foliage. Bs. 6d.

80. ILLUSTRATION—Quite a new colour, rich orange-buff, guard petals occasionally marked red, dwarf and bushy. 5s.

81. MADAME AUGUSTE CROUET— Soft salmon, slightly shaded pink, large flowers.

7s. Gd.

- 82. MADAME DE SARGAS—Large rosette-shaped flowers, of a soft shade of pink tinted salmon, soft orange centre. 7s. 6d.
- 83. MADAME FOULD—Soft salmon-shaded orange, prettily-formed, medium size. 5s. 84. *MADAME COMESSE Pick and a state of the salmon size.

84. *MADAME COMESSE—Rich rosy salmon, of a very pleasing tint, large, and of fine form; babit dwarf and free, 2s, 6d.

85. *MADAME DE DUMAST—A beautful delicate salmon, centre light cream; one of the finest. 3s.

86. MISS LUCAS—Of a rich salmon shade, conspicuous guard petals; free and showy. 5s.

87. MADAME MARIE—Flowers large and very fine, of a beautiful shade of delicate salmon, tinted pink; free. 3s.

89. MARIE CROUSSE—Camellia-formed flowers of a pleasing shade of blush salmon, large and fine. 7s. 6d.

91. MADAME E. GALLÉ—Very large line flowers of a light shade of salmon, orange centre, good habit; free. 5s.

- 93. MADAME ALFRED WERLÉ—()f a distinct shade of pinky buff or salmon, medium size, ranmenlas-shaped centre; dwarf and free. 3s. 6d.
- 94. MADAME CROUSSE Large and double, nankeen-salmon; distinct. 5s.
- 95. MARTHA FELTZ—Beautiful soft salmon, shell-shaped petals, moderate size. 3s. 6d.
- 96. M. CASSET—Of a distinct shade of salmon, deep orange centre; fine large flowers, almost erect; dwarf habit. 5s.
- 97. M. LEGOUVÉ Light creamy buff, almost a dove colour, shaded pink in centre, guard petals creamy buff; free and distinct. 7s. 6d.
- 98. M. E. RONNET—Salmon, shaded at base of petals orange; fine large llowers, 3s, 6d.
- MR. TRUFFAUT—Bright reddish-salmon, shaded orange, deeper centre; large double fine formed llowers.
 3s. 6d.
- 100. MR. W. BEALBY—Beautiful clear salmon, shell-formed petals, moderate size flowers, double and free. 4s.
- 101. PÆONIÆFLORA—Flowers very large, much larger than Gloire de Nancy, beautiful salmon-rose, very double. 2s. 6d.

YELLOW.

- 102. CHRYSANTHA—Medinm-size flowers of a clear primrose-yellow colour; free. 4s,
- 103. PAVILLON JAUNE—Soft yellow shade, guard petals lighter, centre very double, good form; free, 10s,
- 104. *GABRIELLE LEGROS—Clear sulphur-white changing to soft yellow, flowers large, very full and imbricated, free, fine. Awarded First-Class Certilicate. 3s. 6d.
- 105. LAKMÉ—Yellow, centre very double, medium size. 3s. 6d.
- 106. *LOUIS D'OR—A very free and effective variety, and of a distinct shade of yellow.
- 108. MADAME E. PYNAERT—Creamy yellow, tinted buff; good habit, large, distinct shade of colour. 6s.
- 109. SULPHUREUM PLENUM Of a deep shade of sulphur, medium size. 3s. 6d.

FOR PRICES OF SEEDLINGS, DOUBLE, SEE PAGE 33.

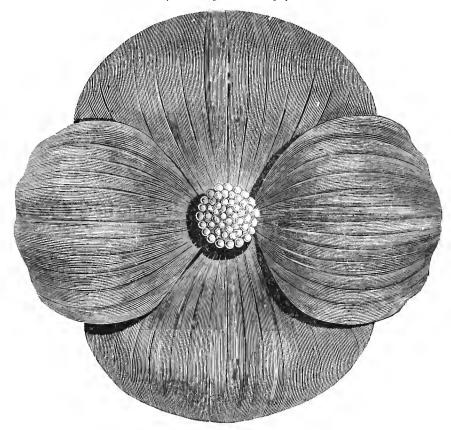
SINGLE BEGONIAS.

S sanguine as we were, we should have felt rather relinetant to have prophesied five years ago the wonderful perfection to which we have brought the Single Begonias. Now we have colours of the deepest maroon crimson to bright scarlet, even exceeding in colour the Zonal Pelargoniums; in fact, far too rich for the eye to rest on for more than a mere glance. The deepest rose and the clearest yellow, and many intermediate colours—flowers stretching out nearly seven inches

across—the short, thick, upright growth and erect flowers that our seedlings possess, place them, in the opinion of all connoisseurs who have seen them, far ahead of all others; and, without doubt, we have made great strides. What surprising alterations are brought about, even in a short space of time! Not more than two or three years ago, when we sent out a set called Six-inch Begonias, it was laughed at as incredulous; some now boast of their flowers being above 7 inches across. Our Experimental Flower Garden—an acre of our Nursery and our eight houses—full of them, has been beyond all question the grandest floral sight ever seen; one cannot form the slightest idea of its grandeur unless they visit the Home of Flowers.

NEW SINGLE BEGONIAS OF 1887.

Our Raising. Nearly all named by special desire.



A. W. TAIT (of Oporto)—Producing large fine-formed flowers of a very intense crimson shade of colour; dwarf and free, also remarkable for its beautiful foliage, 5s.

A. MAYES—The richest crimson-coloured variety that we have yet seen; medium-sized flowers of great substance: free, 5s.

CAPT. ROGERS—Very large flowers of fine substance, of a soft rosy crimson shade, light centre, 55.

EMILY TEESDALE—Beautiful pure white, delicately edged with pink, fine large flowers; very pretty and distinct. 3s. 6d,

MISS MALCOLMSON—A grand addition to the white varieties; flowers large and of tine substance; dwarf branching habit. 3s. 6d.

MISS NEVE—Well-formed flowers, very smooth, and of a pretty and pleasing shade of sulmon; free and attractive, 3s. ¢d.

MR. MURPHY -- Flowers large and well formed, of a bright pink of a distinct and attractive shade; very free. 3s. 6d.

MR. COCKBURN—A fine variety; orangesearlet, erect flowers, large; n useful addition to this class. 3s. 6d.

MRS. ENO-A pleasing salmon-coloured variety, soft salmon, with a tint of pink, beautifully shaded deeper in centre; erect flowering; dwarf. 3s. 6d.

MRS. MANBY-Medium size; yellow, shaded buff. 3s. 6d.

MRS. BELLEW-A very line pink variety, lightly tinged lilac; free. 5s.

MRS. RAIKES-Of a distinct shade of viole pink; free. 3s. 6d.

MRS. EDWARDS-Light pink, very large, finely formed flowers; effective. 3s. 6d.

OUR LEADER-Of very distinct and attractive features, soft red, lighter centre, erect llowering, dwarf bushy habit, circular flowers of large dimensions. 5s.

RILEY SCOTT-A rich-coloured crimson variety ; large llowers. - 3s. 6d,

SIR W. HART-DYKE-Thick bushy habit, flowers of a rich shade of pink. large, almost circular; very distinct. 3s. 6d.

NEW DOUBLE BEGONIAS.

HON. MRS. PLUNKETT-A grand variety; beautiful soft salmon, blush shade, very large fine flowers, gool habit; one of the most distinct and best. Awarded a First-Class Certificate, R. H.S. 10s.

MISTRESS HALL (Crousse)-Full-size flowers of a creamy shade; said to be a fine variety. 7s. 6d.

SCARLET.

- 110. CANNELL'S FAVOURITE-Velvety scarlet, fine flowers; dwarf habit. 3s. 6d.
- 111. CITY OF PARIS Rich crimsonscarlet, dwarf habit; free. 2s.
- 112. FLORIBUNDA -- Medium sized flowers, vivid searlet, produced in such quantities as to nearly hide the foliage. 2s.
- 113. GARNET-Showy, flowers large and almost erect, of a distinct shade of orange, scarlet. 1s. 6d.
- 114. INDIAN CHIEF-Of great substance, and of a more decided shade of Indian yellow than we have before seen. 2s.
- 115. MAGOG-Dark scarlet, flowers almost circular, petals of great size. 2s. 6d.
- 116. MARQUIS OF SALISBURY—Large fine formed searlet flowers, strong bushy habit, distinct. 2s. 6d.
- 117. MRS. H. G. MURRAY-STEWART-Rich scarlet, strong robust habit, and for exhibition one of the best. 3s.
- 118. ORANGE PERFECTION—Soft scarlet, suffused orange, medium-sized well-formed flowers; distinct. 3s.
- 120. SHIRLEY HIBBERD Brilliant scarlet of a dazzling sbade, good habit, beautiful dark foliage. 2s. 6d.
- 121. T. BAINES Distinct, fiery-orange colonr. medium size, very free. 2s. 6d.

CRIMSON.

122. ATCHALUS-Immense flowers of a reddish-crimson; very free and effective. 2s. 6d. 123. CITY OF BERLIN-Dark crimson,

large and round; free and good. 2s. 6d.
125. CRIMSON CIRCLE—Rich erimson,

erect flowering and effective. 2s.

126. CRIMSON PERFECTION—A beautiful circular flower, brilliant crimson, one of the best. 2s.

127. CRIMSON KING-Fine flowers and good habit. 2s.

128. GIGANTEA—Crimson flowers 7 inches across, petals nearly 4 inches broad, almost circular and of great substance, strong and robust. 3s. 6d.

129. GLOW-WORM-One of the most intense fiery crimson shades of colour yet seen, strong and bushy, large and fine. 3s. 6d.

130. KING OF THE BEGONIAS—Strong, dwarf habit, intense scarlet crimson. First-Class Certificate. 3s. 6d.

131. KING OF THE CRIMSONS-Bold open flowers, rich erimson-shaded maroon, distinct; nwarded a First-Class Certilicate. 3s. 6d.

132. LINDLEY-A distinct and effective

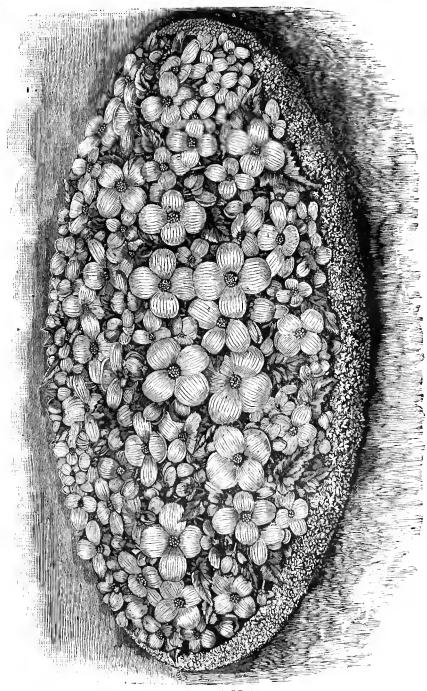
variety; very free. 2s. 133. M.R. AIRD—Rich reddish crimson, dwarf habit, fine erect flowers; free. 2s.

134. PERFECTION—Velvety erimson, medium-size llowers; dwarf habit. 2s. 6d.

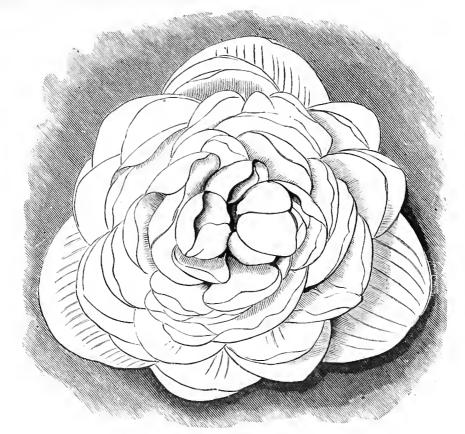
135. TOTAL ECLIPSE-A splendid, rich, self-coloured variety. 3s. 6d.

136. W. E. GLADSTONE-Producing immense fiery crimson flowers; good strong habit. 3s. 6d.

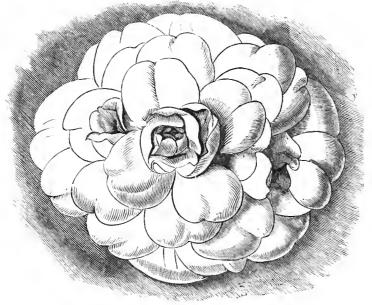
Mr. Moskdale, Gardener to J. C. Grinling, Esq., Barton, Burton-on-Trent. Your Begonias made quite a sensation last July, some of them near upon 3 ft, through.



Drice of Tubers, &c., see page 33. Seedling Doubles for the same purpose, see page 33.



BEGONIA INTERMEDIA PLENA,



BEGONIA RUGGIERI.

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137. CITY OF LONDON—Deep rosy lake, shading off to a much lighter colour in centre, robust habit; large. 2s.

138. HENRY CANNELL-Rich magenta-

rose, very pretty. 3s. 6d.

139. LÉVIÁTHAN—Large fine flowers, of a

deep pink shade of colour. 2s. 6d.

140. MIDSON'S FAVOURITE — A very pleasing rich rosy shade, splendid flowers and habit. 5s. 6d.

141. MISS CANNELL—Rosy pink, snffnsed

with purple, one of the best. 2s. 6d.

142. MR. APTHORPE—Light magenta of a beautiful shade. For exhibition purposes it will be found very useful. 3s. 6d.

143.—MR. H. G. MURRAY-STEWART— Deep rose, petals very broad, a fine variety.

2s, 6d.

144. MRS. H. CANNELL — Lovely pure rose, lighter centre, the finest shape in this section. 3s. 6d.

145. PINK PERFECTION—Of a distinct

shade of pink, effective. 2s.

146. PURPLE GEM—Deep rose, decidedly suffused with a shade of purple, fine flowers. 3s. 6d.

147. QUEEN OF ROSES—Flowers produced in great abundance, habit good. 2s. 6d.

148. ROSEA MAGNIFICA—Good dwarf habit, dark green foliage, large tine flowers, freely produced. 2s.

149. ROSE PERFECTION — Medium-

sized, well formed flowers. 2s. 6d.

150. ROSY CIRCLE—Colour intense rose, broad petalled circular flower. 2s.

151. ROSY MORN — Rosy purple, good shape, very distinct, 2s. 6d.

152. VIOLET GEM—Medium-sized flowers, suffused violet colour, 2s. 6d.

153. W. E. GUMBLETON—Rosy nugenta, free, strong, bushy growth. 2s. 6d.

BUFF COLOURED.

154. CRÈPUSCULE — Light buff, edged crimson, flowers round, good foliage, dwarf habit. 1s. 6d.

155. EARL OF BESSBOROUGH—Clear yellow buff, edged soft red; free and effective.

First-Class Certificate. 2s. 6d.

156. WONDER—Deep yellow buff, beautiful orange yellow at base of petals, which gives it a striking and novel appearance, splendid dark foliage. 1s. 6d.

YELLOW,

157. AUREA PERFECTA—Bright golden yellow, medium-sized flowers, beautiful marbled foliage. 3s.

158. COUNTESS OF BESSBOROUGH—Clear rich golden yellow, distinctly edged soft red, splendid habit, and quite distinct. 5s.

159. J. DOWNS—Fine flowers, good habit

and substance. 3s. 6d.

160. L'ABBÉ FROMENT—Bright golden yellow, erect; one of the finest. 2s.

161. MRS. H. COPPIN—Of the clearest and brightest yellow, medium sized flowers, pretty foliage; one of the finest. 3s.

162. PRIMROSE PERFECTION—Colour as its name denotes, habit and form much better than any of the older varieties. 38, 6d.

163. QUEEN OF YELLOWS—Pure yellow, deep in shade, excellent form and good habit. 3s, 6d.

165. SULPHUREA GIGANTEA — Light sulphur yellow, good, strong, bushy habit; distinct 3s, 6d.

166. YELLOW BEDDER—Pure yellow. This variety has the peculiar habit of keeping or throwing up blooming growth from the bottom to an extent that all but covers the foliage with flowers. 1s. 6d.

167. YELLOW PERFECTION — Round flowers, medium size; dwarf. 2s.

SALMON.

169. LADY KIRK-Of a very pleasing shade of soft salmon, shaded deeper, free habit, and form of bloom splendid, 3s.

171. MRS. PHILLIPS-Soft salmon; very

free and effective. 2s. 6d.

172. SALMONEA MAGNA—Bright salmon, flowers large and well formed; vigorous habit. 2s. 6d.

173. SALMON QUEEN—Beautiful dark green foliage, a most useful variety for moderately-sized plants and decoration of the table. 3s.

BLUSH COLOURED.

174. **JEANNE** D'ARC — White, suffused pink, large and fine. 2s. 6d.

175. BLUSHING BRIDE — Fine flowers, pure white, edged pink; very pretty. 2s. 6d.

176. MDLLE. PESSONNEAU — Flowers of fine form and substance, beautiful green foliage. 1s. 6d.

Mr. James Lynas, The Gardens, Moyallon Honse, Gilford, Ireland, May 25th, 1887.

The Begonias I received from you in spring have turned out splendidly. They are in fine flower now.

Mrs. M. Nunn, Castle Bdgs., Wenford, Nov. 2nd, 1887.

The Begonias received were very fine plants.

RED.

177. C. FELLOWES—Red, suffused crimson, very fine flower; dwarf, bushy, and free. 3s.

178. CITY OF VIENNA—Very deep red, flowers large and freely produced. 2s. each.

182. MRS. NASH—Of a splendid shade of rosy red, lighter in centre; a striking variety. 2s. 6d.

183. T. MOORE — Rich salmon-red, of a distinct and pleasing shade, good habit, one of the best. 2s. 6d.

184. SALMONEA.—Medium-sized flowers, fine in form, of a peculiar and distinct shade of salmon. 1s. 6d.

WHITE.

185. ALBA FLORIBUNDA—Pure white, vigorous, and of free growth; a most useful variety for decorative and bedding purposes. 1s. each; 9s. per doz.

186. LA CANDEUR — Fine, dwarf habit, flowers large and well formed. 2s. 6d.

187. MADME, LA BARONNE SALADIN
—French white, very free. 28.

188. MRS. GROVE—Good, dwarf, bushy habit; flowers medium size, and of the purest white. 2s. 6d.



ERECT TYPE. Seed, 2s. 6d. per pkt.

BEDDING BEGONIAS.

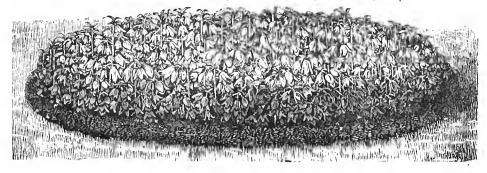
189. ATRO-RUBRA NANA—A most useful variety where richness of colour and quantity of bloom is required; medium-sized flowers. 1s. each; 9s. per dozen.

190. COMMODORE FOOT—Rich velvety crimson, flowers very brilliant, and larger than Davisi. 2s.

191. DAVISI—It will be observed that this variety throws up its flowers from the bottom on single stems, colour intense bright scarlet. Is, each; 9s, per dozen.

192. MISS CONSTANCE VEITCH—From the well-known Davisi. Deep crimson-searlet of the richest line. 2s.

193. WORTHIANA—Orange-scarlet, very useful for bedding. 9d. each; 6s. per dozen.



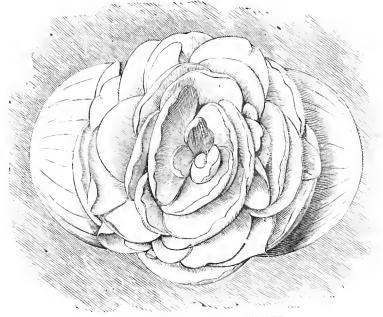
BEGONIA WORTHIANA.

Showing bed on our lawn this season; and admittedly the best ever seen,

We have now a sufficient stock, and have also had sufficient experience of the Begonia as a bedding plant (our lawn beds and borders having been full of the best during the two last summers) to pronounce it as eminently suited to this purpose. Nor are we alone in this opinion; it is the general verdict. Seedlings make a lovely bed; but to have all the plants of one regular height,

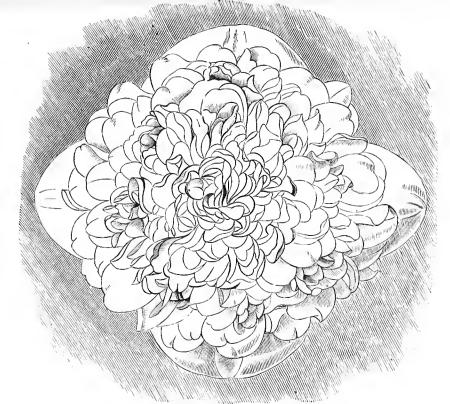


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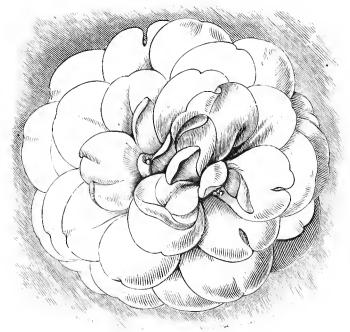


BEGONIA LOUISE DE GOVSSAINCOURT.

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BEGONIA M. TRUFFAUT.



BEGONIA MADAME CASTAIGNEZ.

shape, and colour, a Stock must be propagated as one would Zonal Pelargoniums. They can be propagated just like Dahlias, by cutting the Tubers at the eyes just after they have started. Plant the bulbs ten inches apart, and take them up when the frosts come. This is really all the culture needed. Begonin Worthiana and Louis Bouchet have proved themselves good bedders of the small flowering section.

SEEDLINGS (SINGLE) FROM OUR FINEST NAMED COLLECTION.

EXTRA QUALITY—Selected to colour, and almost equal to named varieties. 12s, per doz. No. 1 QUALITY—Selected to colour. 9s, per doz.; 60s, per 100. No. 2 QUALITY—Selected to colour. 6s, per doz.; 40s, per 100. MIXED—Unbloomed seedlings for bedding. 3s. 6d. per doz.; 20s, per 100.

SEEDLINGS (DOUBLE) FROM OUR FINEST NAMED COLLECTION.

MIXED—9s. to 12s. doz.; 64s. and 90s. per 100. SELECTED TO COLOUR—18s., 24s., and 30s. doz. SPECIALLY SELECTED—3s. 6d. to 5s. each.

We are now raising seedlings by thousands, and the result is, from our scientific hybridising, we have many of the finest (voted First-Class Certificates, and universally pronounced the finest doubles ever raised). We have at least 50,000 various bulbs, and all who wish to introduce a great feature into their Conservatories or Gardens should have our seedling doubles.

SEED SOWING AND SEEDLING RAISING.—First fill a pot or pain half full of some substance to make it porous for drainage, then cover over with moss, or something similar, to make a separation, and then fill to within a quarter of an inch from the top of light, fine-sifted soil, previously charred or burnt, so much the better, so as to kill all animal and vegetable life; press down level, and on it sprinkle the seed; place over this the smallest coating of the very finest cocoa-mut fibre and sea sand or soil, just so as to support the seed in their places. Keep in total darkness, with paper or glass over the top, in a temperature of 60° to 70°; as soon as they show signs of life above the soil gradually expose, and as soon as they have roots a quarter of an inch long, loosen round carefully, make small holes in similar-prepared soil in small pots. They are too small for manipulation; in fact, they must not be handled. Have a wine-glass of water, dip a pencil in it (use it as a dibber), and by this means these small seedlings will hang to it, and can be easily placed into the hole previously made for them, gently press down, and place in a similar temperature for a few days afterwards; gradually expose and reduce from 60° to 50°, and keep near the glass. The sun, after February, must not be allowed to shine long on Begonias under glass, as they dislike extreme heat, sun, and cold; they delight in and must be kept at a medium temperature.

WINTER-FLOWERING AND EVERGREEN VARIETIES.

Our 100-ft, house last antumn and winter was a grand sight. No other kind can lay claim to so many advantages, as a winter-flowering plant, as this class, and none are more useful than the summer-flowering varieties.

209. ARGYROSTIGMA ELEGAN-TISSIMA—Maculata class, but foliage denticulated and more distinctly spotted with silver; of a free and vigorous habit.

210. ARGYROSTIGMA GIGANTEA — Producing much larger foliage, but not denticulated like the above—in fact, this variety may

truly be called a Maculata, with the silver spots more distinct.

211. ASCOTENSIS—One of the finest varieties. It produces large clusters of a beantiful pink colour. In a warm and suitable climate, a gem for bedding purposes.

I just arrived here a few days ago from Belfast, in time to see two large tin boxes that had come from Messrs. Cannell, of "The Home of Flowers," Swanley. Kent. One contained monster blooms of Single Tuberous Begonias, and the other of Doubles. As I have more than once stated in yours and the London gardening journals, these flowers are in many cases well done around here; but all who have seen them admit that for size, colour, substance, and shape, they never saw finer than Cannell's. When I was visiting, in '78, and returning from Paris. Mr. Seden thought a Begonia one inch across remarkable; yet, in that short space, here are Singles improved to 62 inches.

W. J. MURPHY, Clonmel.

212. CARRIERI—Flowering more particularly during the winter. Many have said Weltoniensis is the most useful and valuable plant ever raised; to this we agree, excepting Carrieri, and it is, without exception, the most desirable plant to have ever raised, for it will grow anywhere and under the roughest treatment, and always producing beautiful pure white blooms in nice clusters. Nice plants, 2s.

218. UNDULATA, syn. COMTE A. DE LIMMINGHE and GLAUCOPHYLLA SPLENDENS—For covering pillars, baskets, and hanging over the briekwork or stages in greenhouse is a very useful variety, producing deep green foliage, edged lighter green, and flowers of a deep reddish-salmon colour. 1s.; extra size, 1s. 6d.



MACULATA.

214. **DIGSWELLIANA**—Forming into neat and compact plants, and producing abundance of clusters of a soft pink colour; pretty and distinct.

215. DREGII, syn. CAFFRA and RENI-FORMIS — Beautiful green foliage and an innumerable quantity of medium-sized white flowers.

216. FUCHSIOIDES, syn. MINIATA.—As name implies, it has the appearance of a Fuchsia, deep green foliage, and thowers hanging in graceful clusters of a bright red colour. Is.

217. HYBRIDA FLORIBUNDA, syn. MULTIFLORA—Producing an abundance of coral-coloured flowers during the whole of the season: of a free and vigorous habit: one of the prettiest and most useful. 1s.

218. INGRAMII, syn. SAUNDERSIANA and LAURA—Medium-sized foliage, of a deep green, and producing flowers of a reddish-pink colour, dwarf habit.

219. INSIGNIS, syn. INCARNATA—A free and vigorous growing variety, and bearing medium-sized flowers of a lilac pink.

220. KNOWSLEYANA—Will be found of great value where cut flowers are in request during the winter and early spring. Of a free and vigorous habit, and forming into bushy plants, covered with silvery blush flowers.

221. MOONLIGHT—Partaking somewhat of the tuberons-rooted kinds; but nevertheless it is well worthy of being enlitvated for its white flowers. 1s.

222. NITIDA, syns, OBLIQUA, PULCHRA and PURPUREA—Beautiful deep green shiny foliage, and bearing fine flowers and clusters of a pleasing silvery blush; distinct and good. 1s.

223. NITIDA ALBA-Producing much smaller flowers than Nitida, but of the purest white. Is.

224. PICTA — Narrow-pointed leaves of a deep and agreeable green colour, and faintly spotted with silver; the whole plant when in full vigour has the appearance of a densely foliaged Caladium, bearing flowers of a bright red. Is.

225. RICHARDSIANA VASTISSIMA, syn. VALIDISSIMA—Producing flowers identical with *Dregeii*, but in foliage smaller and more toothed; good bushy habit.

226. RICHARDSIANA—Small fern-like foliage, bearing flowers same as above; good habit.

227. SUTHERLANDI—Producing in abundance flowers of quite a distinct colour, which are of a bright orange-amber tint; free and branching labit.

228. SEMPERFLORENS ALBA—By its beautiful dense green foliage, and the immunerable quantity of white flowers produced, renders this variety one of the most desirable both for winter decoration and summer bedding. 6d. each; 4s. per dox.

229. SEMPERFLORENS ROSEA } 230. SEMPERFLORENS RUBRA }

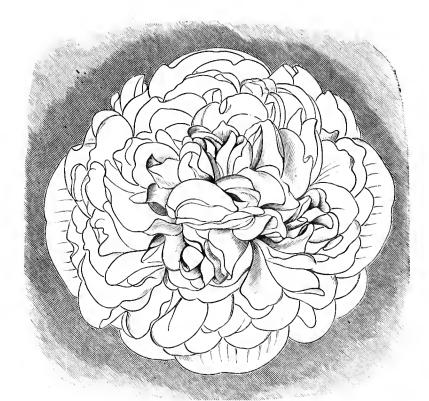
Identical in every way with the above, excepting the colours, which are white, edged soft rese and red respectively. 9d.

231. SEMPERFLORENS GIGAN-TEA CARMINEA 1s. 232. SEMPERFLORENS GIGAN-TEA ROSEA. 1s.

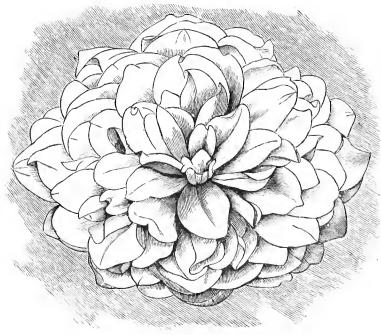
Grand improvements, and should be in every greenhouse: grown and intermixed with Nitida, produce a striking and pleasing effect during the winter months.

233. WELTONIENSIS—Although perhaps one of the commonest, yet it is one of the prettiest and most useful; deep green marbled foliage, and flowers of a beautiful soft rose. 9d.

All those not priced. 6d. each. Seed, 1s. 6d. per packet.



BEGONIA M. DUVIVIER.

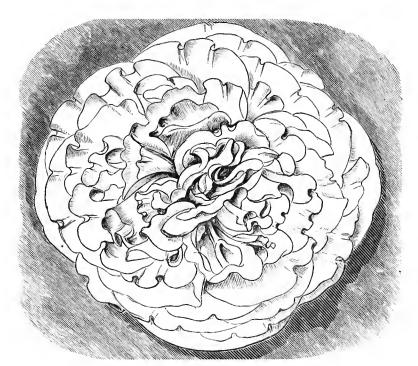


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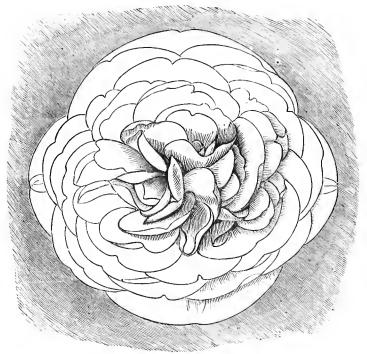
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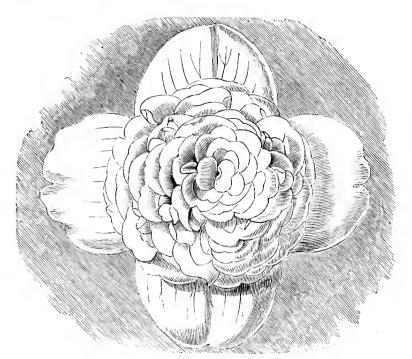
BEGOSIA CARRIERI (see prgc 34), (36)



BEGONIA BLANCHE DUVAL.



BEGONIA M. PAUL DE VICQ. (37)



BEGONIA MADAME MARIE.



BEGONIA FULGURANT.

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HYBRIDS OF INCARNATA.

234. EDOUARD PYNAERT-Of a pretty shade of blush; very free.

235. JEAN SISLEY-Light orange-red.

236. M. EUG. VALLERAND—Dwarf, bushy habit, of a soft crimson-red shade of colour; distinct and useful.

237. V. LEMOINE-Deep pink, very free flowering.

ls, each,

REX CLASS—ORNAMENTAL FOLIAGE.

Onr Selection, 12s., 18s., and 24s. per doz.

SPLENDID NEW FOLIAGE BEGONIA.

291. MADAME GACHE—The richest coloured variety yet introduced; an improvement on Ville de Numur. 2s. 6d. each.

Bouvar'dias.

F all plants the Bouvardia, in our opinion, excels for cut flowers, no matter whether for button-holes, bonquets, or table decoration; a spray of it is sure to be most prominent and pleasing, and the odour of several kinds is deliciously refreshing, and if well grown they will more or elses continue flowering nine months out of the year. They only need the ordinary course of cultivation of the winter-flowering Zonal Pelargonium; hitherto they have been treated as a stove plant, whereas they only need a temperature not higher than 50° or 60°; and in the summer to have every attention like a specimen Chrysauthennum, and on the first appearance of cold weather to be taken in the house, and when growing and flowering to be supplied with liquid manure occasionally.

SINGLE BOUVARDIAS.

- l. ANGUSTIFOLIA (species) Brilliant scarlet, very free flowering.
- 3. ALBA ELEGANTISSIMA Pure white. 2s. 6d.
- 8. DAZZLER—Rich searlet, which are produced freely in clusters of moderate large flowers.
- ELEGANS—Truss and individual florets nearly double the size of any other known scarlet variety.
- 11. **HOGARTH** Producing a fine large truss, good habit, scarlet.
- 12. HUMBOLDTII CORYMBIFLORA— (species)—Of free growth, fine large flowers, and of a rich aromatic odour, snow white, a very fine variety. 1s. to 3s, 6d.
 - 13. INTERMEDIA.
- 14. JASMINIFLORA (species)—A white free-flowering and growing variety; in a mild temperature it continues to bloom all through the antimum and winter; fragrant.

- 15. FLAVESCENS—Pale yellow; free and distinct. 1s.
 - 16. LAURA-Fine rose.
- 18. LONGIFLORA FLAMMEA Very
- free; blush rose. 1s. 6d.
 21. PRIORY BEAUTY—Of a beautiful shade of pale satin-rose, flowers freely produced in elegant and compact trusses; distinct. 1s. 6d.

22. QUEEN OF ROSES—Large clusters of bright rosy pink blossoms.

- 24. ROSEA OCULATA—Delicate flesh, free.
- 27. THE BRIDE—White, slightly tinged flesh, tube short, trusses regular and full.
- 28. UMBELIATA ALBA Neat, well branched habit, flower tubes cream, tinted pure white. 2s. 6d.
- 29. UMBELLATA CARNEA Opening white, and merging into a delicate pure rosy blush colour. 2s. 6d.
- 32. VREELANDII, syn. DAVISONII— Invaluable for bouquets, white, free.

Flowering plants, 1s. 6d. each and upwards.

All those not priced, 1s.

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Your Guide to hand. I have great pleasure in sending the 1s. 3d. for same. It is the most complete and concise catalogue I have ever seen.

DOUBLE BOUVARDIAS.

33. ALFRED NEUNER—Invaluable for all kinds of decorative purposes, good habit and profuse bloomer, splendid trasses of lovely pure white rosette-like double flowers, each flower composed of three perfect rows of petals; an acquisition for cut flowers. 9d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. each; 9s. and 12s. per doz.

34. PRESIDENT GARFIELD, syn. ROSEA FL. PL.—Pink flowers, good habit and profuse bloomer, producing large trusses. 1s. and 1s. 6d.



DOUBLE BOUVARDIA.

DOUBLE SCARLET BOUVARDIAS.

35. SANG LORRAIN—The habit of this variety resembles Alfred Neuner; free-flowering, trusses and flowers large, tube medium size, crimson; corolla double, with three rows of petals, of a rich vermilion colour.

36. THOS. MEEHAN—Bright searlet, with pale rosy searlet tube; very free.

TRIOMPHE DE NANCY—Vigorons and free-flowering, trusses large and compact; Inbe long, salmon-red, formed of three corollas, one inside the other, of a bright salmon-orange colour.
 V. LEMOINE—Leaves small, trusses well formed; flowers composed of two corollas, joined together; tube reddish purple, long and narrow; corolla large, of a fiery red; very free; resembles Leigntha in habit.

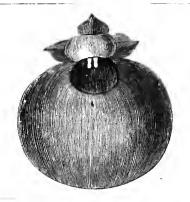
1s. 6d. each.

SHRUBBY CALCEOLA' RIAS.

HE secret of having good beds of Calceolarias is getting healthy green plants, perfectly free from insects. When planted out very early, good, deep, rich soil is essential, with a quantity of manure below the plant: this will prevent them going off as they usually do. The main thing is to grow them vigorously, by always having rich soil to root into. Too much moisture causes them to die off.

1. AMPLEXICAULIS—Fine lemon colour, good for large beds and borders, long trailing habit, and the best late blooming variety we possess. 6d. each; 5s. per dozen.

¹ 2. AMPLEXICAULIS ALBA (species)— Lovely creamy white. 1s. each; 8s. per dozen.



- 3. AUREA FLORIBUNDA Yellow bedder, fine. 3s. per dozen,
- 4. GAINE'S YELLOW Well known general good bedder, not subject to disease. 2s. 6d, per dozen; rooted cuttings in spring, 5s. per 100.
- 5. GOLDEN GEM—One of the best of all the yellow Calceolarias extant. 2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d. per dozen; rooted cuttings in spring, 6s. per 100.
- 6. INVINCIBLE—Colour same as Amplexicantis, flowers equally large but rounder; trusses very large, habit remarkably robust, branching, compact; free-flowering.
- 7. PRINCE OF ORANGE—A beautiful and well-known variety. 2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d. per dozen.
- 9. SPARKLER—Crimson-gold cup; makes a fine bedder.
- 10. SULTAN Extra fine dark variety. 6d, each; 5s, per dozen.

CAMDEN HERO—The best dark maroon, 6d, each; 5s, per dozen.

In pots. All those not priced, 6d, each; 4s, per dozen; taken from cold frame in the spring at the usual reduced prices.

Can'nas.

HESE give a very beautiful and tropical aspect to pleasure grounds, by their stately growth and broad, massive foliage, relieved by rich crimson-scarlet, orange, or yellow flowers during the late summer months; their foliage, comprising various shades of rich green, glaueous and chocolate-crimson leaf-timts, fits them admirably for effective groups, their appearance rendering them a striking contrast to other plants.

They are also invaluable for large pot plants as portable specimens in pleasure-ground decoration, and equally so for summer groups in large conservatories, in which their great diversity of foliage appears to advantage, and they are very ornamental for any purpose. The following are some of the best:—

IRIDIFLORA NOUTONI—Produces magnificent large flowers, three times the size of the ordinary kinds, and brilliant in colour; grand ornamental foliage and flowering plant. 2s. 6d. each.

IRIDIFLORA EHMANNI—Leaves large, oval in form, stout, and a thick mid-rib; splendid flower spike, blooms being of a large size; good form and of a rich red colour, 2s, each.

IRIDIFLORA GLADIOLIFLORA—Flowers are very large, growing erect instead of drooping, being of a rich amber or orange, foliage blue-green, rather narrow, compact and free-flowering. 3s. each.

IRIDIFLORA GUTTERMANNI—Large rosy buff flowers, beautiful deep green foliage, and in growth resembles the well-known Musa cusete; a line variety. 3s. 6d.

For conservatory, porches, or standing in tubs, pots, &c., about a garden they are grand objects; and for beds or single clumps, are the fluest flowering varieties of this family we ever had, and are quite in favour throughout the Continent.

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For other new Varieties, see New Things,

- ANNEI-Large glaucous foliage. 3. ANNEI ROSEA - Tall, orange flowers.
- 6. AUGUSTE FERRIERE Has large, oval, dark green leaves
- 9. BRENNIENYSII With green leaves, yellow variegation; distinct. 1s.
- 10. BONNETTI—Fine tall growth.
- CHATERI DISCOLOR-Dark-11. leaved kind,
- DISCOLOR—Dark, veined stem. and leaf margined,
- ERECTA Deep green leaves, large and pointed, edged white-
- 16. DÉPUTÉ HÉNON—Light glancous green.
- 17. ÉDOUARD MORREN-A fine stately variety, flowers very fine. 1s.
- 19. ELEGANTISSIMA GRANDIS -Light green foliage.
- EDULIS.
- 23. GIGANTEA-Light green foliage.
- 24. GIGANTEA MAJOR Beautiful light foliage.
- 25. GRANDIS—Tall habit, large leaves.
- 26. GLOIRE DE LYON-Splendid dark foliage, fine habit, 1s.
- 27. GLABRONIENSIS-Very pretty.
 - GÉANT.
- 30. HENRI VILMORIN-Has dark green leaves, orange blossoms. 1s.
 - 31. HELDI.
- 32. JEAN SISLEY-Majestic growth, immense green leaves. Is.
 - 35. KETELEERI-Fine bushy habit,
- 37. LAVALLEI—Pretty foliage. 38. MARÉCHAL VAILLANT Robust habit, dark purple, orange flowers.
- MULLERI—Large scarlet flowers, dwarf, half green.
- 40. MUSÆFOLIA HYBRIDA Rich bronze.
 - 41. METALLICA-Dark.
 - 44. NIGRICANS—Tall dark-leaved variety.



- NEPALENSIS GRANDIFLORA."-- ' 47. PURPUREA SPECTABILIS - Dark
- purple veined. 51. RENDATLERI—Tall variety, long and narrow leaves,
- 52. RUBRA SUPERBISSIMA Violet stem, purple leaves.
 - RIFKOGALI—Very dark.
- SANGUINEA CHATERI—Dark foliage.
 - 58. SURPRISE—Light green.
 - 60. WARSCEWICZI—Of dwarfish growth.
 - ZEBRINA—Zebra striped foliage.
- 63. ZEBRINA ELEGANTISSIMA-Striped.

All those not priced, 6d. each.

Mr. Alfred J. Elworthy, Upwell. Wisbech, October 21st, 1887. At our Local Show in July last I took first prize for Verbenus, Coleus, Begonias (Double), and Carnations from plants supplied by your firm.

Mr. Peter Brock, Glenmor Gardens, Drogheda, Ireland, October 26th, 1887. I know you are well in front with most things, and by all accounts your Begonias must be very fine.

W. B. Miller, Esq., Elms. Ramsgate, February 1st, 1887.

I have received your excellent catalogue, and must say the boldness of design, great skill, good taste, and lavish expenditure, does you much credit, and it ought to be in the hands of all lovers of flowers, whether amateurs or professionals.

A. GOODMAN, Esq., East Moulsey, Surrey, March 4th, 1887. I received the plants all right yesterday, and am much pleased with both them and also your system of packing.

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CALLIOPE-Fine. CAPT. CUTTLE-Good. DOGBERRY-Large. EFFIE DEANS. FLORIZEL—Large. GLADYS—Attractive. 2s. 6d. GANYMEDE-Fine petal. HERMIONE—Smooth.

HEROINE—Novel. IMPERATOR—Fine. JEANNIE DEANS—Extra. JOE WILLETT-Grand. MAUVE QUEEN-Fine. MR. TOOTS—Full. MRS. ALFRED—Large. MRS. GEORGE-Fine.

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MRS. PHILLIPS—Large.

1s. 9d. each.

THE BEST STANDING VARIETIES IN CULTIVATION.

Yes, lovely Carnations! No matter who, all like this flower; yet how seldom we see them in gardens. If once planted in ordinary ground they will grow. Out out the flower-spike in August, cut a slit half-way through the wood of the side-shoots, two inches under the lowest leaf bearing the cut, dividing and replanting in good well-dug ground any time before Christmas, and another year's fine bloom is almost a certainty. For exhibition, they have to be planted in eight or nine inch pots, and placed under glass when in flower; their greatest enemy is wireworm, which must be destroyed. Good varieties, 9s. per dozen and npwards, our selection.

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ADMIRAL CURZON (Easom). 1s. 6d. ARTHUR BROWN (Dodwell). ALCIBIADES (Dodwell). ARTHUR MEDHURST (Dodwell). EDWARD ADAMS(Dodwell) EL BRILLIANT (Dodwell). FRED (Dodwell). 1s. 3d. each. GEORGE (Dodwell)-Fine. JAMES McINTOSH (Dodwell). JIM WHITTAKER (Dodwell) JOE BAGSTOCK (Dodwell).

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MRS. ANSTISS (Dodwell)— Fine form, 1s, 6d, MRS. BARLOW (Dodwell)— Beautifully marked.

SARAH PAYNE (Ward). 1s. 3d.

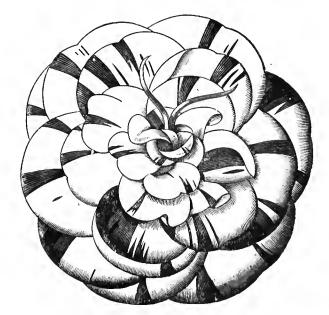
SIR G. WOLSELEY (Hewitt) 1s. 3d.

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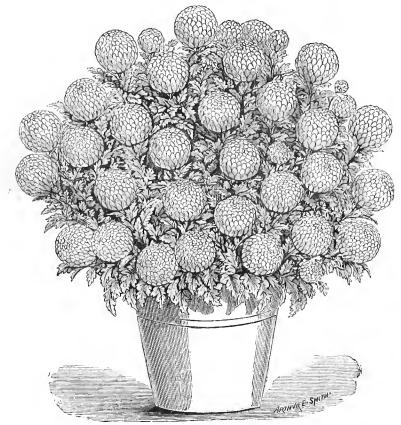
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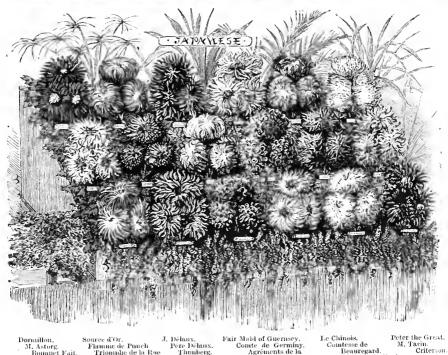


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EVER were Chrysanthemuns more generally grown, and to such perfection, as now. Shows are springing up in nearly every town; and to meet the demand for plants and entrings, we have devoted quite three quarters of an acre to their production, and, in fact, allotted a separate portion of our Nursery to their special entrure; and, as near as they can be counted, not less than 8,000 plants are in 4-inch pots for immediate sale. There can be no doubt about their being correctly named—we have five houses (100 feet each) specially for them to develop their blooms. At the proper season we have a display consisting of all the best and most distinct kinds, which forms unquestionably the finest and most complete collection of this family ever brought together, and will, of course, include, like all our collections of florist flowers, the original species to the latest new and improved kinds. For comparison, throughout November, this will be found an opportunity such as has never before been offered to lovers of this genus. The following brief cultural directions, if carried out, will enable anyone to grow plants similar to the engravings.

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CANNELL'S SYSTEM FOR EXHIBITION. STAGING CHRYSANTHEMUMS



Triomphe de la Rue des Châlets,

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We have long premised to introduce a new way of putting up cut blooms of Chrysanthemums for Exhibition, but, of course, said all, such a way would never look well, but admitted that it would be worth trying, and also said he would be a bold fellow who dared to venture in public with a departure from the ordinary and original style. We determined, therefore, to present six boxes. 43 feet long, 18 inches wide, as per engraving above, before the Floral Committee at the Royal Horticultural Society, and to our delight and surprise before we had completed staging the flowers. all our Floricultural critics spoke aloud that our new system was the right and proper one, and there and then unanimously resolved that we should be presented with the Gold Medal-but we never got it-probably from the scarcity of material to make it.

Shirley Hibberd, Esq., Gardeners' Magazine, speaks thus:—"At the last meeting of the Floral Committee, Messrs. Cannell & Sons showed a lot of cut flowers of all the sections mounted on green moss in the manner of reses. About nine-tenths of the cultivators of these flowers would find it impossible to follow the excellent example, but the practical lesson has its value, for if green moss is not everywhere obtainable there may be some suitable substitutes in the world that town amateurs could scenre for the purpose. For the present we must jeg trot with our green boards, and keep the green moss in mind as a pleasant thing to dream about.

At the great National Show at the Royal Aquarium, where we had exhibits extending 40 ft. in length, representing all the sections of Chrysinthemums, the entire public was in favour of the system, the mechanical formal green flat boards of the neighbouring exhibit being frequently We all know that large glaring flowers without green lose half

Exhibition blcoms (cut) are very expensive to grow, and good flowers cannot be supplied less than 1s, each,

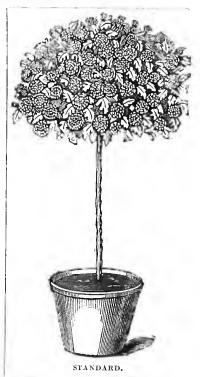
their charm, whereas by this system a natural green can be added and their own lovely foliage can be shown as well, which gives the whole an exquisite appearance, and all societies must eventually offer prizes for the best blooms set up in a rose box in this manner: a box 4 ft. 6 in. long, hack 6 in. high, front 4 in. high, made to exhibit twenty-four roses, will stage either of the following-twelve incurved (three to four blooms to the bunch), twelved recurved (ditto), twelve varieties of Japanese (ditto), twelve large Anemones (ditto), eighteen Pompons or eighteen Pompon Anemones (ditto). Cut the flowers, and wire each separately, so that the blooms can be faced in any direction, hunching three together with a bit of moss between; so that they are a nice distance from bloom to bloom, and arranged to height, colour, and size. It will be necessary to have zinc tubes 11 inches in diameter, and about 4 inches long, with a flat foot stand to keep them erect, and place them in accordance with the height of the box, so that when all is done they show one continuous face, every flower in its proper position; one half-ineh cut too high or too low will destroy its artistie arrangement. When carried out well, such an exhibit will be the pride of the show. A thick eircular piece of cardboard should be placed at the back of the flowers of the Japanese, large Anemones, and incurved flowers to bold up their petals; that is, cut a round the size required, and make a hole in the centre of the card for the stem, cut to the outside, and pin in the shape of a lamp shade, with a bit of raffia round the stem, which will hold it up in its place; this, together with some nice stub moss, for the surface of box, is all that is necessary; the other few details can be seen to as it is being proceeded with.

For Box, Tubes, Wire, and Scissors, send for particulars.

HOW TO GROW FOR DECORATION.

Cuttings must be taken off and rooted in a single pot in January and gradually grown on in a cold greenhouse or frame, and as they gain size so they must be shifted into larger pots and placed back in a frame with all the light and air possible, but frost must not touch them. If for specimen plants, they must have the extreme points taken out with the point of a knife when about 9 inches high, so as to make side shoots and form a good bushy plant. The first fine weather in May place them out of doors.

It now matters little what system of training may be pursued-whether the plants be trained to a single stem, formed into a bush, or he compressed into a pancake, as was the fashion with Pompons—the following general rules must be observed if the best results are to be secured. First, there must be no crowding the plants together; but, on the contrary, each must stand with the full light shining upon it, and without the hranches of any other touching it. To effect this the best plan is to plunge the plants about half the depth of the pots in coal aslies, in rows a sufficient distance apart to admit of a man passing hetween them without injuring them. Care should be taken that the plants do not root through the pots, for if they do the eheck they will sustain will be very injurious to the development of the flowers; therefore, to prevent this, it will be necessary to move the pots once, if not twice a week, or, to save time, place each pot on a piece of slate or tile. Secondly, the plants should be trained without delay; that is, each branch must receive the support of a neat stake of sufficient length to answer the purpose when the plant is full grown. The arrangement of the branches must be systematically done, and the ligatures must be neat but not tight. Thirdly, water must be regularly supplied, so that the plants never know the want of it-that is, they must never flag-and manuro water may be given once or twice a week without the slightest fear of injury. The Chrysanthemum is a most



voracions feeder; guano in the proportion of one ounce to each gallon of water, or cow manure and soot made into liquid will aid, but our "Real Manure" will be found much the best to bring up the colours and size, and should be used during October twice a week; this will assist in carrying all

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exhibitors to victory. Of course, as the plants make vigorous growth, from April to the 1st of July, the longest shoots must have their points taken ont, to make them bushy; and, in the course of time, all will begin to show their flower buds.

To secure these being of the finest quality, the conditions which we have laid down must be strictly observed—there must be perfect maturation of the wood; for without ripe wood there can be no fine flowers. Nothing is more common than to hear people exclaim, "Dear me! what splendid flowers yon have; my plants are much larger than yours, but the flowers are comparatively small." This arises out of that little word "maturation" during August—well ripened wood and large leathery leaves-from this the flowers are built up. All Chrysanthemums, however, produce many more flower buds than they can bring to good form and proper size; and hence it is necessary to redace the number, so as to concentrate the energies of the plant in the few retained. To obtain fine blooms, strong growth is indispensable, and from these strong shoots at the time they are formed all side growth must be pinched off to throw all strength into two or three bads. No insect or mildew must be allowed to touch it. About the middle or end of Angust, if closely watched, in the axle of the shoot a small bnd will be observed, and if the season is late, and the show early, it will be wise to nip out all side shoots gradually and force all the growth into those buds; thus, if monster blooms are desired, one should be left on each shoot of the large-flowering kinds, two or even more on the hybrid and pompons. Select those favourably situated for display, and then remove the others as soon as you can get at them with a penknife or a pair of fine-pointed seissors. The sooner the wood buds are removed after the flower binds are formed, the finer those retained will become. As the flowers expand or show colour, the supply of manure water must be decreased in strength and quantity; the plants mast not on any account know the want of water, as the loss of supply for a single day will undo the work of the whole season. The best place to bloom the Chrysanthenuum is in a light and airy greenhouse. The plants should be taken in upon the approach of frost; but beyond protecting them from it or cold cutting winds, should be kept as cool as possible through their blooming, which will prolong the season as well as add to the beauty of the flowers. The Chrysauthemum is not much affected by disease; sometimes the mildew may attack it and also the green fly and thrips. The latter may be removed by funnigation, and the former by dusting with sulphur; brown or black is the hest and cheapest. Follow these directions, and fine flowers must be the result, such as are seldom seen. To grow Standards, a strong offset with a good root must be got early in the season, and the side eyes at the hase of each leaf must be taken out, until it attains the required height, then bent down, and the side shoot trained to a wire frame 12 inches in diameter; should any of the petals become loose and disarranged or otherwise different from the engraving, they must be placed gently in position by means of a pair of ivory or wood tweezers, and the flowers on the plant should be made perfect and like those for cut blooms.

For the best treatise, "How to grow the Chrysanthemum to perfection," see Molyneux's Book, sent post free, $1s,\ 2d$.

ARRANGING PETALS IN CHRYSANTHEMUMS FOR EXHIBITION (CALLED DRESSING).

Those who dread and despair of the trouble, and fancy they cannot learn, will rail against the practice and its fairness, yet it has become the general and a chief merit that all incurved flowers should be presented as even and as regular in shape and size, and as widely distinct in colour as possible—for shape see engraving. Some blooms do not require manipulation, such as Mrs. Rundle and her sports, Mr. G. Glenny and Mrs. Dixon, Princess of Wales and her sport, Mrs. Heale, and several others; but to get 24 distinct varieties there is occasionally some deformity in petals, and a little irregularity, occasionally reflexed, and when so, one little bend with the tweezers guides it into the shape required. It sometimes occurs that more petals are produced than required, or a decayed one makes the whole confused or dirty, and when so, surely there can be no more harm removing them than there would a troublesome tooth or combing and brushing one's hair, for the process is virtually the same, and so long as there is no addition to the flower, surely a little grooming in flowers may be bestowed, which is done to every well harnessed horse. This little process, called dressing, has been so mystified as to appear unlearnable, whereas it can be pretty well mastered in a day; and if a cultivator has any pluck and brain of his own, he will become efficient in a season. The first lesson is to clip off a strip of paper 3 inches long, 4 wide, knife in hand, pass the thumb on one side of it and the knife on it tightly and bring it upwards, and three strokes will give you the incurve required; then practise on a rough old bloom, first cupping and plugging up the flowers, pulling out the green eye or centre, as per engraving, to the required degree of tightness to bring the petals up so as to fill in the centre, and nearly all the dressing is done that is required. Some varieties, to get their centre high or well up, require to have their flowers suspended when developing their blooms; flat flowers are very objectionable, and if this regulating and the tact and skill in growing flowers to nearly approach perfection at our exhibitions is not adopted, many would say, "I have flowers in my back

yard as good as those; I shall never eare to see another show." In fact, there is little or no heanty in a loose incurved flower. The strong growth of Chrysanthemums is of the first importance, and without blooms are full size none can be said to be good; but with vigorous growth even some of the old inferior varieties come splendid, and often cause a sensation, and give satisfaction under the improved system of cultivation.

CHRYSANTHEMUMS NOT CORRECTLY NAMED.

We always hear complaints of this kind, even at the large shows, and when the judges have finished their work; and sometimes the complaint is justifiable. It does not follow that a judge—although he may he a perfectly competent one is acquainted with every variety; indeed, how can it be expected, with the number of new kinds introduced every year? It is, however, even with an intimate knowledge of Chrysanthemums, not always an easy matter to name them correctly, for this reason: they are very sportive in their habit, and we have had three distinct coloured flowers on the same plant, whilst we have also known Lord Wolseley (the result of a sport) return to its parent shade. Many varieties assume three totally distinct characters, when half expanded, when fully so, and when going out of blossom. This catalogue gives and describes the general appearance, and it is easy for intermediate colours to be mistaken for similar varieties, blame being then injustly cast upon the nurseryman. It is the shape of the flower and the petals that must be considered before arriving at a decision. We, for our part, take the greatest care to prevent such mishaps, having plenty of room and convenience for keeping the different kinds separate, employing the best of men, and keeping them constantly on this family, so as to make them intimately acquainted with each variety; hut in the vast number we grow a mistake may arise. We, however, have such confidence in our men, who are so familiar with Chrysanthemums, that they can name most varieties from their foliage, and all from their flowers, that we warrant all we sell true to name.

I think it was in 1843 that my father took me to the first Chrysanthemum Show, held in the Corn Exchange, Norwich, and in 1850 we came to London and resided opposite Forsyth's Nursery, at Stoke Newington. I attended for the first time in that year the Stoke Newington Show, held at the Manor Rooms, the Crystal Palace Show, and later, the monster show at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, and Mr. Salter's Versailles Nursery. I have attended nearly all the Shows held since, and I hold the first prize ever awarded to any resident on the south side of the Thames, whilst I was the sole founder of the Brixton Hill Society. I have seen the gradual rise in the cultivation of the Chrysanthemum from the time when one bloom was shown on a plant in a 5-in, pot to the present, when we see plants 10 feet across, consequently I have had probably more to do with them than any other grower, and am therefore able to speak about them with confidence.

H. Cannell, sen.

Our exhibit at the National Exhibition at the Royal Aquarium, which covered 50 feet of space, and comprised 850 blooms, was not for competition, but it proves conclusively that nowhere nor at any time in the history of this flower was there a more complete stock than at the "Home of Flowers." The beauty of the new method of arrangement, before referred to, was fully recognised and highly enlogised by the Press and all spectators. The judges unanimously awarded us the Silver Medal, which is corroborative of our assertion, and we are proud to think we were successful in making the Chrysanthemum attain a much higher and more attractive position than it ever before held.

Our stock is such as to enable us to supply well established plants of the whole 900 varieties in November. They will then mostly be in flower, and for immediate decoration, propagation, and correctness to name, leave nothing to be desired.

Mr. W. L. Tobin, H.S.H. Prince Edward of Saxe Weimar, Dublin. I have to inform you that H.S.H. the Princess of Saxe Weimar is much pleased with the Chrysanthemams you sent—in fact, they cannot have too much praise.

J. T. Pör, Esq, Riverston. Nenagh, Ireland, I was sorry that the Chrysanthemum Society took you away to the Aquarium when I was last at Swanley. It was quite surprising the amount of bloom you had in the Begonia Hones at so late a date, and many interesting seedlings too. I only wish I had seen your plants a month or six week earlier. Nothing could be more heautiful or perfect than your double white "Octavie" at R. II. S. Show—only equalled by the one you figured so faithfully in this year's Catalogue.

Mr. E. Usher, Meadow House, Cobham.

I enclose herewith P. O. for £1 1s., as per invoice, for Box of Tools for Chrysanthemums, Thanking you very much; I am more than pleased with them.

Mr. James Gash, Swainston, near Newport, Isle of Wight, January, 1887.

I must tell you I was very fortunate with the cuttings from you. I took first at Ryde for 12 Japanese, and three firsts at Newport I. C. S. for 24 Japanese, 24 Japanese, and 12 Japanese hesides two seconds and three thirds.

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CANNELL'S GRAND NEW (JUBILEE) CHRYSANTHEMUMS, 1887.

UNPRECEDENTED SUCCESS.

Fourteen First-Class Certificates awarded last year for New Chrysanthemums. We felt sure that we should succeed in raising some good seedlings, although the chance appeared a narrow one—the number to raise aud grow to get a good one being immense. These, and the ones we have imported direct from Japan, make our list of new kinds the richest ever offered, for the first time the most important and totally distinct to any hitherto seen in this country.

To have these well grown and shown, we offered £20 in Prizes, with the result that at the Crystal Palace National Chrysanthemum Society Show, Kingston, Portsmonth, and Hull, they were the lious of the show, so much so, that both days at the Aquarinm it was difficult to get even a glimpse of them. Those notified have been awarded a First-Class Certificate, and are universally acknowledged to be the greatest acquisitions introduced for many years.

JAPANESE TYPE.

MR. ADDISON—Of a distinct and peculiar shade of red, long strap-like petals, 1s. 6d,

MR. H. WELLAM—Creamy white, slightly splashed with purple; large open flower; one of the best for exhibition. First-Class Certificate. 3s. 6d.

LADY CAVE—Was shown at the Aquarium and much admired. Pure white, occasionally tinged with pink; narrow petals, extreme outer ones recurved and hanging down most lovely and gracefully; is a very full-petalled flower; centre full, and stands holdly up when grown strong; will become a favourite at all exhibits. 3s. 6d.

MR. MATTHEW—Terra-cotta shade; florets reflexed; large; very distinct, and one of the best. 5s.

MRS. B. WYNNE-White, slightly shaded rose; large, lovely colour; fine front row flower. 3s. 6d.

MRS. CASTLE-Creamy white, slightly tinted blush. 3s. 6d.

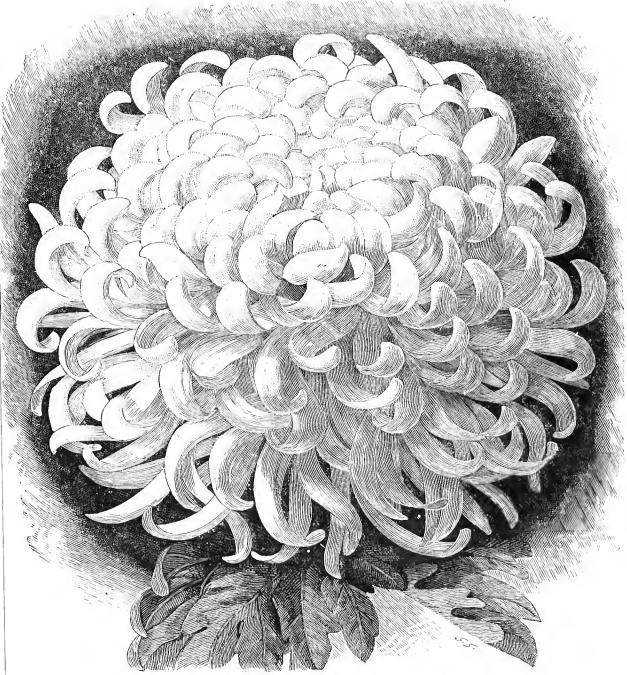
Anstey Grange, near Leicester.

Mrs. W. H. Ellis encloses postal order in payment for the Chrysanthemums, which gave great satisfaction.

Mr. D. Lindsay, Otterspool Gardens, Aigburth, Liverpool, April 12th, 1887. I must congratulate you in your attempt to put on a sound hasis judging by ballot at shows, as some of it has been scandalous under the three judges system. I should like to compete for your prize, but we are so late in these parts.

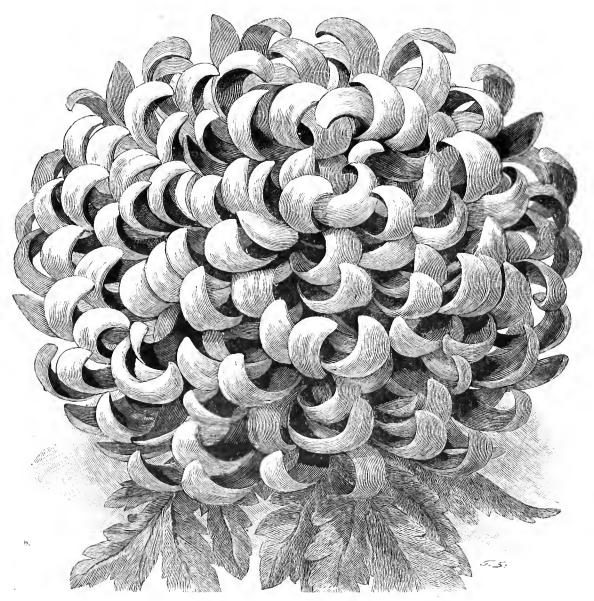
Mr. R. Spry, Murton Colliery, Sunderland, August 8th, 1887. I received the cuttings all right; best thanks for having sent such good and healthy ones.

Mr. F. Bennett, Pound, Cornwall, August 12th, 1887. I received the plants this morning, with which I am highly pleased.



MRS. H. CANNELL

MRS. H. CANNELL—Pure white; petals immense, with incurve, similar to Comte de Germany; strong, robust, dwarf growth. After comparing this with Moonlight, Pelican, and all other whites of the Japanese class, none, although similar, can be compared for a moment, particularly for purity of colour, breadth of petal, size, and bold outline. Two First-Class Certificates. 5s.



EDWIN MOLYNEUX.

EDWIN MOLYNEUX—In style of incurve very similar, but colour is deep rich maroon-red outside petals, when expanded is the richest golden tint ever seen in Chrysanthemums; petals immense in both width and length, and is the noblest of its colour. Three First-Class Certificates. 5s.

MR. C. ORCHARD—Broad and bold outline, very similar to the preceding; colour lovely carmine-red, reverse of petals rich golden yellow; here we have the same grandeur in boldness and outline as the preceding. First-Class Certificate. 5s.

LADY T. LAWRENCE—Beautiful pure white, very broad petals, large and fine. Two First-Class Certificates. 3s, 6d.

LADY EMILY—Creamy white: long, narrow, almost vertical petals, and forming into a ball distinct. 4s, 6d.



MR. H. CASNELL.

MR. H. CANNELL—In the way of *Grandiflora*, but richer and broader petals, incurve of the most lovely shape, occasionally here and there a petal standing erect out through the incurve, showing off the grand shape of the flower in a new feature; colour of the richest possible yellow seen in Chrysanthemums, and is certainly the best in this class. Two First Class Certificates. 5s.



ADMIRAL SIR T. SYMONDS.

GRAND NEW SINGLES.

ADMIRAL SIR T. SYMONDS—Large deep yellow, as per engraving. First-Class Certificate. 3s, 6d. each.

The largest and finest of the Single Chrysanthemums was kindly presented to us by Admiral of the Fleet. Sir T. Symonds, K.C.B., and when exhibited, proved to be the "lion" of the varieties in this class.

KING OF THE YELLOWS—Medium size, very deep yellow; late flowering. 2s. 6d. MR. MIST—Chestnut red, distinct yellow ring round high centre; distinct. 2s. 6d.

JOHN TYARS—Rich magenta, pure white at hase of florets, forming into a distinct white ring. 2s. 6d.

D. WINDSOR—Very large fine flowers, chestnut-red. First-Class Certificate, National Chrysanthemum Society. 2s. 6d.

TWO NEW LATE-FLOWERING VARIETIES.

YELLOW ETHEL, or NEW YEAR'S DAY (Edwards' variety)—Up to the present, no variety has proved more valuable and useful for the festive season as the white, the parent of the above, and from which it is a sport—this being so, we need hardly say it is a fac-simile in every way except colour, which is a bright yellow of a higher tone of colour than other similar sports. Blooms of this variety commanded almost fabulous prices last Christmas; and, without doubt, is the best and most valuable for entting at the shortest and New Year's Days ever offered. 1s. 6d. each. Special prices to the Trade.

"YELLOW SNOWDROP," or "PRIMROSE LEAGUE"—A sport from the well-known best pure white Christmas blooming pompon, and for small ent flower work and decoration the best. 1s. each.

The under-mentioned sent out with their Raisers' description.

AGNES FLIGHT-White, long twisted petals, creamy centre; magnificent. 2s. 6d.

ALBA FIMBRIATA — Pure white, broad fringed petals. Two First-Class Certificates. 2s. 6d.

ALPHA—Rosy purple, shaded white. Two First-Class Certificates. 2s. 6d.

EVELYN-Magenta. 2s. 6d.

MRS. J. WRIGHT—Ivory white, round twisted florets; quite a novelty. Three First-Class Certificates. 3s. 6d.

MR. D. B. CHAPMAN—Bright rosy purple, long twisted petals, divided at the points like a deer's horn. Grand variety. F.C. $2s.\ 6d.$

MR. STEPHENSON CLARKE—Orange, shaded red, broad petals. 2s. 6d.

MR. W. H. BURBRIDGE—French white, creamy centre; commended. 2s. 6d.

ROSE BEAUTY—Rosy lilac, full centre. 2s. 6d.

STANSTEAD WHITE-Very large, white petals, semi-incurved. 2s. 6d.

SARAH OWEN (Owen)—Bright golden hronze, sport from Mdme John Laing, large, broad, gold tipped petals. Two First-Class Certificates. Plants distributed in March. 3s. 6d. each.

MISS ANNIE LOWE—In this we have another sport, a fine coloured variety from Lady Margacet; the ray or guard petals are of a soft canary yellow, centre, or cushion, of a deep bright yellow, making a fine contrast; the central florets are also deeply toothed at the apex as in the parent; large. Awarded a First-Class Certificate N.C.C. 5s. each.

CHARLES GIBSON—Beautiful bronze, a sport from Mrs. N. Davis, will undonbtedly prove a fine ineurved variety. First-Class Certificate. 2s. 6d.; three for 6s.

J. JAQUES, Jun., Esq., Duppas Hill, Croydon. November 1st, 1887.

I bought some cuttings of Chrysanthemums from you this year, and find them everything that could be desired, and must have come from splendid stock.

Mr. B. Paine, Astle Hall, Chelford, Cheshire, February 12th, 1887. I received the remainder of the Chrysanthemum cuttings in first-class condition.

Mr. W. Mackin, Gardens, The Mythe Castle, Tewkesbury, December 24th, 1886. Chrysanthemum cuttings to hand yesterday. This morning they look as fresh as if they had been taken from our plants at home.

NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS OF 1887 (DÉLAUX).

We have given descriptions of the best of the new ones, which may be fully relied on. Those without descriptions await further trial.



MACAULAY—The most peculiar shape of the year awarded First-Class Certificate by the National Chrysanthemum Society, and is the best continental variety of the season; colour, dark yellow, with the upper surface near the centre tipped with bronze; shape is best described as resembling the finely-cut curled Endive; very attractive; its shape can hardly be forgotten. 5s. each. Block kindly lent—Gardening World.

LUCIEN BALTET—Is a glorious new colour, and brings us nearer to a lovely bright purpleplum shade than any other variety, and in this respect a real gem; a Japanese of the reflexed form; medium size tubular petals, dwarf grower, and, in our opinion, promises to be very fine; extra free. 3s. 6d. each.

PERLE PRÉCIEUSE—Purple, tinted silvery rose, broad petals, and perfectly incurved, high centre. We believe it to be a very valuable variety, and a fine addition to this class. 3s. 6d. each.

ABBOTSFORD ALBERT DÉLAUX ANNA ROUDIERE-Delicate silvery rose. 2s, 6d, -M. PAYNE ANNETTE LACROIX ARTHUR PAYNE BENDEMEER BICKLEY PARK BOMBARDIER BONNINGTON BOUQUET SÉDUISANT DE DAME BURMAH C. WAGSTAFF CAPITAINE SURGET - OUDINÉ CARADOC CASTELLAR CÉLESTE EMPIRE CLAUDE BILLIARD COLONEL RAY COMTE HORACE DE CHOISEUIL CONNIE REDFORD CREMORNE DAME BLANCHE DR. DUKE - JOHN TANNER STEGGALL DUKE OF BERWICK-Of a pleasing blush colour, suffused rose; large. 1s. 6d. EDIE GREEN RUMBLE E. MOLYNEUX EVA EXPOSITION DE TROYES FÉE ENCHANTERESSE FEU DE BENGALE—Finely-formed, orangered FIGARO FORESTER GEORGE BARRETT GEORGES SAND GUY FAWKES. 1s. 6d. H. G. DARBY H. J. JONES HAMLET. 1s. 6d.

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All those not priced 1s. each; the set for 30s.

INCURVED.

MRS. NORMAN DAVIS-Yellow sport from Princess Teck. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 1s. each.

REFLEXED.

ALICE BIRD, syn. BUTTERCUP—A large, compact, and well-formed flower; intensely bright buttercup-yellow, somewhat deeper in the centre. Unquestionably the finest yellow Cbrysanthemum yet raised. First-Class Certificates from the Royal Horticultural and National Chrysanthemum Societies. 2s. 6d. each.

"The brightest and finest yellow sort yet raised."—The Garden.

"An exceedingly fine, compact, flat petalled variety." - Gardening World.

"A beautiful reflexed variety."—Gardeners' Magazine.

ASPASIA—A large symmetrical flower, with broad florets; outer florets soft, pale sating rose centre ones purplish rose. 2s.

IRENE—A beautiful flower of the most delicate tints; white ground, outer florets tinted with pale soft rose, centre pale buff, the florets next the centre toned with pale flesh. 2s.

JAPANESE.

AURANTIA—A fine flower; florets with recurved margins, bright orange-yellow, faintly striated with red. A distinct new colour. 2s.

JANIRA—An extra large flower, with drooping florets; deep carmine-red, toned with purple, reverse greysh white, offering a striking contrast to the brilliant coloration of the upper surface. 2s. MELTON—A large flower, with broad and spreading florets; brick-red, reverse pale nankeen-

MELTON—A large flower, with broad and spreading florets; brick-red, reverse pale nankeet yellow. 2s.

RALPH BROCKLEBANK—Golden sport from the well-known variety Meg Merrilies. Several First-Class Certificates. 1s.

CAREW UNDERWOOD—Sport from Baronne de Prailley, Received Two First Class Certificates, 1s. 6d.

MISS STEVENS—Very delicate blush-pink, full, and of good form. First Class Certificate. 2s. 6d.

THOMAS STEVENS—Creamy white, surface rose; full; good form.

WILLIAM STEVENS—Brouze-red, yellow reverse; large. Two First-Class Certificates, is, 6d, each.

MRS. GEORGE STEVENS-Old gold; fine for decoration. 1s. 6d.



MRS BURRELL—A heautiful, clear primrose colour, obtained two First-Class Certificates; has been flowered two seasons, proving itself to be the best September flowering Primrose Chrysanthemum in cultivation. 1s.

As the New Varieties are propagated, the prices will be lowered accordingly; prices on application.

When ordering, please quote edition of Catalogue, as the numbers are occasionally revised.

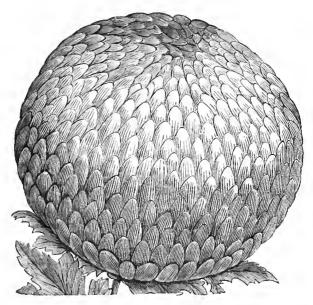
LARGE-FLOWERING INCURVED VARIETIES.

FOR CUT BLOOMS.

Those varieties marked with a (*) are these that have been exhibited, and were amongst the winning classes at the principal shows throughout England. All those with a (†) are the best for exhibition specimen plants. (‡) In the Japanese, those that flower in the latter part of September and early part of October.

- 1. AUREUM MULTIFLORUM Very bright pure yellow; fine front row flower.
 - 2.*†ANTONELLI—Salmon-orange.
- 3. AREGINA, syn. INNER TEMPLE— Magenta crimson; distinct.
- 5. *ANGELINA, syn. PRESIDENT SAN-DERSON—Golden amber, shaded cinnamon; fine exhibition flower.
- 6. *ALFRED SALTER—Deep rosy pink; large and fine.
- 7. *ABBÉ PASSAGLIA Brassy amber; fine front row flower.
 - 8. *BEAUTY—Delicate blush.
- 10.*†BARBARA—Rich bright golden yellow.
- 11. BLONDE BEAUTY—White, tipped pale rose.
- 12. *BRONZE JARDIN DES PLANTES
 —Bronze and vellow.
- 13. *BARON BEUST, syn. BERNARD PALLISY—Red chestnut, tipped with gold.
- 14.*†BEVERLEY—Creamy white, broad incurved florets of fine form.
- 15. BRONZE QUEEN—A bronze sport from the well-known variety, Queen of England. This is sure to become a general favourite.
- 18. *CHERUB—Golden amber, tinted hronze.
 23. DUCHESS OF ROXBURGH—Orange
- and rose. 24. DR. ROZAS, syn. DR. ROGERS—
- Purple-crimson, incurved.
- 26. DUPONT DE L'EURE—Bronze, stiff petals.
- 27. **DUKE OF TECK**—Rosy manve, snffused white; very distinct.
- 30. *EMPRESS EUGÉNIE—Delicate roselilac.
 - 31. * + EVE—Salphar-white, a delicate flower.
- 32.*†EMPRESS OF INDIA, syn. LADY ST. CLAIR, MRS. CUNNINGHAM, SNOW-BALL, and WHITE QUEEN—White, very large and fine.
 - 33. *ENAMEL—Blush white; very fine.
 34. *EMILY DALE—Pale straw colour;
- sport from Queen of England. 35. ENSIGN—Shade of light purple.
- 40.*†-FAUST-Crimson-purple, very full; fine.

- 41. FINGAL Rose violet, with lighter back: showy flower, but coarse.
- back; showy flower, but coarse.
 44. *GLOBE WHITE—A flower of exquisite form and purity.
- 47. GENERAL SLADE Indian red,
- tipped with orange.
 48. *GOLDEN_EAGLE, syn. ORANGE
- PERFECTION—Indian red and gold. 49.*†—GENERAL BAINBRIGGE — Dark
- orange-amber, gold centre.
 50.*+GOLDEN EMPRESS—Clear primrose-
- yellow; fine show flower.
 51. *GOLDEN QUEEN OF ENGLAND
 —Golden canary; large and fine.
- 52. *GOLDEN JOHN SALTER—Golden yellow, changing to amber.
- 53.*†GOLDEN BEVERLEY—Golden yellow; beautifully incurved show flower.
- 54. *GLORIA MUNDI—Bright yellow; dwarf habit, and very free.
- 56.*†GUERNSEY NUGGET Primrose yellow; large.
- 60. *HERO OF STOKE NEWINGTON—
 Rosy blush, slightly shaded purple.
 - 61. HERCULES—Dull red.
- 62. HEREWARD—Large purple, silvery hack, finely incurved.
- 64. †HETTY BARKER—Fine tinted blush; free and early.
- 72. *ISABELLA BOTT Delicate pearl-white, tinted rosy lilac, finely incurved.
- 73. JEANNE D'ARC—Pure white, grand flower, tipped lilae.
- 76. *JARDIN DES PLANTES Bright golden yellow, splendid colour.
- 77. *JOHN SALTER, syn. MR. HOWE—Cinnamon-red, orange centre; one of the hest for exhibition. 1s.
- 78. LÉON LEQUAY—Beautiful deep rose, full and fine.
- 79. *LORD ALCESTER, syn. PRINCESS IMPERIAL and BRUCE FINDLAY A primrose-colonred sport from Empress of India; a distinct and noble flower.
- 81.*†LADY HARDINGE Delicate rosepink, tipped with blush and yellow.
- 82.**†LADY SLADE—Soft lilac-pink, centre hlush, beautifully incurved.



INCURVED CUT FLOWER FOR EXHIBITION.

83. *LORD WOLSELEY—A sport from Prince Alfred; it resembles its parent in general form, but is larger, of more substance, and of a bronzy line; distinct. Awarded two First-Class Certificates.

84. *LADY TALFOURD — Delicate rose-lilac, silvery back, finely incurved.

85.*+LORD DERBY, sun. ODORATUM PURPUREUM—Dark purple, finely incurved, 86. *LADY CAREY—Large rose, lilac, with silvery back.

88. *LE GRAND-Fawn colour, tinted with

rosy peach: extra large, 89.*†MABEL WARD, syn. BENDIGO—A golden-yellow sport from the well-known white variety. Ere.

90. MRS. J. CROSSFIELD—A sport from White Globe: white, tinted light pink, and in every way, as regards shape, equal to its parents.

96.*†MR. BRUNLEES—Indian red, tipped gold; a fine showy flower.

97. *MR. GLADSTONE - Dark chestnut-red.

98. MRS. WESTON — Rosy lilac; sport from White Γ_{enus} .

102. *MR. COBAY—Splendid flower; a sport from *Prince of Wales*, ruby-red colour.

103 *†MR. BUNN—A golden sport from Golden Beverley; fine flower.

104.*†MR. GEORGE GLENNY—A sport from Mrs. G. Rundle, and, like that variety, possesses the most perfect bloom and the best habit of growth of any of this section; straw colour.

105.*†MRS. G. RUNDLE—The most beautiful white Chrysanthemum in cultivation.

106.*†MRS. DIXON, syn. GOLDEN GEORGE GLENNY and MRS. C. H. GLO-VER—Splendid yellow sport from Mr. G. Glenny.

107. *†MRS. HEALE—A sport from Princess of Wales. Creamy white flowers of exquisite form.

109. *MRS. E. SHARP, syn. INCOGNITO—Rich pinkish rose.

110.*†MRS. W. HALIBURTON — Light creamy white.

111. *MRS. SHIPMAN—A sport from Lady Hardinge. Beautiful fawn, shaded; fine and distinct.

113. MISS HOPE-Delicate lilac.

115. MISS MARECHAUX, syn. THURZA—White: good and late.

124.*†NOVELTY — Blush, large: requires cultivation, but fine when well done

125. *NIL DESPERANDUM—Large, dark red and orange; fine and showy.

126. NONPARIEL—Rosy lilac; medium. 1s. 6d.

131.*†PRINCESS OF WALES, syn. BEAUTY OF ST. JOHN'S WOOD, and PRINCESS ALEXANDRA—Pearl white, tinted with rosy lilac; very fine. 1s.

132.*†PRINCESS TECK, syn. CHRISTMAS NUMBER and PRINCESS MARY—Blush white, large and full: very useful for late flowering.



135.*†PRINCE ALFRED - Silvery rosecrimson; large and fine.

136.*†PRINCE OF WALES—Dark purple-

violet, finely incurved.

137.*†PINK PERFECTION, syn. MISS MARY MORGAN and PINK PEARL-Delicate pink, large, and of exquisite form.

143.* †QUEEN OF ENGLAND, syn. HER

MAJESTY-Blush; fine form.

146. *REV. J. DIX-Orange-red, light centre.

147. *REFULGENCE — Rich purple-maroon; very attractive.

148. *REV. C. BOYES-Bright shiny crimson, broad petals.

150. *SIR S. CAREY—Dark brown-elestnu with golden points.

SIR B. SEYMOUR-Broad incurved petals, bronzy red.

155. *ST. PATRICK, syp. BEETHOVEN— Bronzy red; fine.

166.*†VENUS — Lilae-peach, large beautiful.

169.*†WHITE VENUS-Pure white, with fine, broad, incurved, waxy petals.

170. YELLOW PERFECTION - Golden yellow, good form,

171. YELLOW GLOBE-A sport from the well-known variety, Globe White. cuttings, half-price.

FOR NEW VARIETIES, see New Things.

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All this clas; turn their petals ontwards, hence recurved. (See engraving, La Vièrge, No. 793). Strange to say, nearly every one has a capital habit, and can be grown into specimens for exhibition.

AMY FURZE - Lilac-blush; good form. First-Class Certificate. 1s. 6d.

176. *ARIADNE—Cream and rose; fine.

177.*†BEAUTÉ DU NORD—Violet-carmine; can be shown as a Japanese.

CULLINGFORDII, THE SCARLET CRIMSON CHRYSANTHEMUM—Nothing since the introduction of Mrs. Rundle equals it for beauty, distinctness, and value; colour nearly approaching the deep crimson-maroon Zonal Pelargonium, Henry Jacoby. Splendid habit and free-flowering, and for general decoration, a grand recurved variety.

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183. CLOTH OF GOLD — Golden yellow. 1s.

188.*†CHEVALIER DOMAGE—Bright gold, splendid colour.

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195. **DISTINCTION** — Centre rich golden yellow, more or less striped rosy scarlet, outer florets reddish crimson, tipped yellow. 4s.

196. ELSIE Shape exactly as per en-

graving; colour the most lovely canary-yellow ever seen; quite distinct in colour to any other Chrysanthemum, and is, beyond all question, the finest recurved variety. First-Class Certificates, Crystal Palace and Royal Agnarium. 2s. 6d.

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212. †JEWESS-Red and orange.

215.*†KING OF CRIMSONS—Rich crimson; fine, 1s,

216. LITTLE BEAUTY, syn. UNDINE-White bordered, delicate rose-pink.

217. LA CANDEUR-Large white flowers: one of the best.

219. LA NEIGE-Pure white.

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The Chrysauthemums I requested you to forward to Mr. Adam Forsyth, of Oamaru, New Zealand. all arrived in good condition. This has given me great pleasure. F. N. Grieverns, Esq., Rotagiri, Nilgiris, India.

A line to tell you that the Chrysanthemums you sent me arrived on the 9th instant, all in excellent condition, and made growth on the journey. The packing was simply perfect.

Dashmonden, Staplehurst, August 10th, 1887. Capt. Tylden Patterson has much pleasure in enclosing a postal order in payment of at least two years' Complete Illustrated Catalogues, published by Messrs. II. Cannell & Sons, for which he is much indebted, and fully agrees with them that such a catalogue should be paid for.



ELSIE (NEW).

220. MDLLE. MADELEINE TEZIER—White, delicately tinted blush; valuable addition to this class. 1s.

222. MOUNT ETNA—Bright red.

223.*†MRS. FORSYTH—Creamy white.

225. MRS.WELLAM—White; in every way, except colour, very similar to *Dr. Sharpe*; good habit. 1s. 6d.

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234.*†PROGNE — Amaranth, colour very bright, violet scented.

235. *PERLE DES BEAUTÉS — Bright amaranth-crimson, light centre, flowers small.

236. PHIDIAS — A useful variety, rosy blush. 18.

237. PUTNEY GEORGE (CANNELL)—The most lovely of all the recurved varieties; higher colour than Cullingfordii; full size flower, abundance of petals grandly recurved and imbricated, each petal showing its bright golden yellow, with the additional charm of putting forth from its centre new incurved petals, forming, as it were, an exquisitely-shaped rosette, with reverse of petals golden; its beauty must be seen to be appreciated. First-Class Certificate, N. C. S. 3s. 6d. cach.

240. SALTERII—Deep red, passing to scarlet, and shaded carmine, many of the centre florets golden yellow, spotted scarlet, semi-glohose flower, large and full. First-Class Certificate. 1s.

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241. SULPHUR GEM-Sulphur yellow.

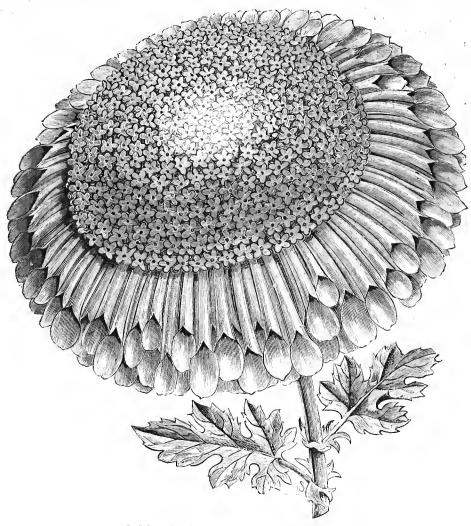
243. TEMPLE OF SOLOMON—Intense yellow; fine old variety.

LARGE-FLOWERING ANEMONE, OR QUILLED ASTER-LIKE CHRYSANTHEMUMS,

A stand of these, when well-grown, has a most unique and beautiful appearance, and if once seen they would be grown by hundreds; and the same with Pompone Anemone.

The selection here made includes the best of this somewhat limited but very beautiful class,

They should be exhibited in single flowers, like the Incurved.



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AGNES HAMILTON-Silvery rosepink. 1s. 6d.

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eentre; fine.

254. *EMPRESS-Very large, lilac, lighter centre; one of the finest.

258. *FLEUR DE MARIE, syn. GEORGE HOCK—A splendid large white flower.

263. GRACIEUSE—Silvery white, shaded rose-lilac, yellow centre; very fine.

264. *GEORGE SAND-Red, with bronze centre; very attractive.

266. *GLUCK-Golden yellow; fine flower.

267. *KING OF ANEMONES-Large erimson-purple; fine and distinct, useful for late flowering. 1s.

268. LILY BURGESS-Rich rose, centre

bronzy pink.

271. LA MARGUERITE-Bright crimsonviolet, medium. First-Class Certificate. 1s.

272. *LADY MARGARET-Double row of guard petals; fine, large, white.

273. *LOUIS BONAMY-Lilae, high centre;

274. MRS. W. HOLMES-Silvery rose, distinct medium. Awarded First Class Certificate.

MARGUERITE SOLLEVILLE -Blush, high eentre.

276. MARIE JOLIVART—White, sulphur

277. MADAME GHYS-Bright rose, centre tinted yellow. 1s.

279. *MARGINATUM—Lilac blush, rose

280. *MARGUERITE DE YORK --Sulphur-yellow; large and fine.

281. *MARGUERITE D'ANJOU-Nankin. 282. MARGARET OF NORWAY - Red gold.

283. MISS MARGARET-Pure white.

284. *MRS. PETHERS-Rosy lilac; a beautiful large flower.

285. *MADAME GODERAU — Splendid large flower, creamy white, high centre.

MINNIE CHATE—Rose-lilac, self. 286. NOUVELLE ALVÉOLE—Rose and

carmine. 290. PRINCESS MARGUERITE—Lilac-

pink, centre lighter. 291. *PRINCESS LOUISE—Delicate rosy-

lilac, full high centre; fine. 292. PRINCESS-White, shaded delicate

lilac; large and fine. 293. *PRINCE OF ANEMONES-Large, lilac-blush, high centre.

297. *QUEEN MARGARET - Rose-lilac, very pretty.

298. REINE DES ALVÉOLES - Rosy lilae.

300. *ST. MARGARET - Brassy orange; distinct.

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302. THORPE JUNIOR - Pure golden yellow, good exhibition flower. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S. 2s. 6d. each; euttings, 1s. 3d.

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Amongst the many stands of flowers seen at Chrysanthemum exhibitions, none, in our opinion. surpass these for beauty of colour and chaste appearance. They should be exhibited three sprigs or shoots, together with from 8 to 10 inches of stem and foliage. As their flower stems are very weak, and do not hold up their flowers well, they should be strengthened with wire.

306. AGLAIA-Blush, with high white centre. 307.*†ANTONIUS—Splendid canary-yellow; extra fine.

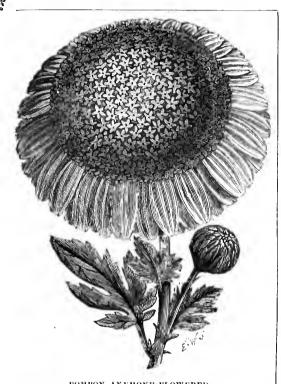
308. *ASTARTE—Bright brassy amber, full and high.

309.*†ASTREA—Lilac blush, full. 310 BRIOLIS—Rosy blush, high centre. 311.*†CALLIOPE—Rich ruby - red, high centre; fine.

CATHARINE WHEEL-Shape well represented by the engraving. The first time it was shown the Floral Committee was so astonished at its shape they hesitated, but the second time it was put before them it was awarded a First-Class Certificate. Useful for cut flowers. 1s.

CONTRAST-Crimson guard petals, deep golden-yellow centre. 1s.

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340. ROSE MARGUERITE-Bright rose; fine.

341.*†REGULUS—Cinnamon; distinct.

313. *DICK TURPIN - Bright magenta, centre yellow.

315 *EUGÈNE LANJAULET -Bright yellow, orange centre.

317.*†FIREFLY—Bright scarlet, high centre, fine colour.

319. *GRACE DARLING — Blush lilac, high centre.

321.* †JEAN HATCHETTE-White, vellow centre; late and fine.

322. MAGENTA KING-As name

denotes; useful; Anemone Pompon. 323. *MADAME SENTIR - l'uro

white; very fine. 324. *MADAME CHALONGE→ Blush: fine.

325.*†MADAME MONTELS -

White, yellow centre; distinct and fine. 326. *MARGUERITE DE COI, syn. MARQUIS DE CROIX-Blush, pale yellow centre.

327. *MARGUERITE DE WALDE-MAR—Sulphur; fine.

328.*†MARIE STUART—Lilac blush, high sulphur centre; fine.

329. *MRS. WYNESS-Rose-lilac, high centre; free.

330.* MISS NIGHTINGALE-

Blush, sulphur centre; full and fine. 332.*†MR. ASTIE — Golden yellow; dwarf, and of fine form.

335. *PRESIDENT MOREL-Red;

336. *PERLE—Deep rose. *OUEEN OF ANEMONES-Deep crimson, 1s.

345. *SIDONIE—Lilae and blush, high centre 349. ZOBEDIE-Light rose; distinct and beautiful.

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352. ADÈLE PRESETTE - Rosy lilae, very pretty.

353. ARBRE DE NOEL-Deep orange, shaded red, tipped yellow; distinct.

354. ANAÏS—Rosy lilac, shaded white, tipped gold, fimbriated. First-Class Certificate. 355. FIMBRIATUM—Resy lake, suffused

white, yellow centre.

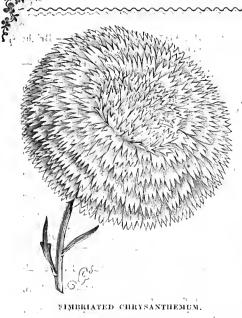
356. MDLLE. MATHILDE RAYNAUD— Carmine-rose, centre yellow, tipped white, splendid.

357. MONSIEUR CAMILLE—Amaranth, shaded hright rose.

358. MR. HOLMES - Orange-brown, slightly tipped yellow, large and fine, evenly notched; frec.

359. *MARABOUT — Λ beautiful fringed white.

360. *MONSIEUR HOSTE-Of a beautiful deep-flesh colour; pretty and distinct.



361. MDLLE. D'ARNAUD — Violet-rose, tinted purple, tipped gold, very double and small. First-Class Certificate.

OSIRIS—Deep majenta and yellow.

362. CŒUR-JOIE.

363. BELLE NAVARRAISE—Pure white-tinted blush.

364. SIR RICHARD WALLACE—Rose, shaded white, large.

365. SOUVENIR DE JERSEY—Deep rich vellow, very fine.

366. LACINIATA ROSEA — Rosy pink shade, tipped white, yellow-shaded centre; distinct.

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369. TOUSSAINT MAURISOT — Rosy lilac, with silvery white reflections.

370. SULPHUR MARABOUT—In every way like its parent, differing only in colour, clear sulphur. 1s.

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374.*†BOB, syn. MAROON MODEL—Dark brown-crimson.

375. BRILLIANT—Crimson-scarlet; fine.

376. BIJOU D'HORTICUL-TURE—Creamy yellow.

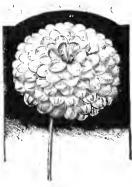
378. *JERSEY BEAUTY — Yellow, brown centre, very pretty.

379. **JESSIE**—Crimson.' 381.*†**LA VOGUE**—Bright gol-

den yellow. 382. LOUISA—Purplish crim-

383. LILACÉE — Soft lilac, shaded silver; pretty.

384. LILAC GEM — Very dwarf and fine habit, useful for late flowering.



SNOWDROP.

386. MARGUERITE VIN-CENT—Beautiful bright chestnutbrown, tipped bright orange, of fine compact form.

387. *MODEL OF PERFECTION—Rich lilac, edged white; distinct and pretty.

388*†MRS. HUTT — Chestnut and orange.

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PERFECTION—Reddish brown, tipped golden-yellow, very double.

391. SALAMON—Dark rose-carmine; very fine.

392. STELLA—Golden orange, 394. TROPHÉE — Mottled rose; pretty.

396. *SNOWDROP—Very pretty for button-holes and bouquets

POMPONS.

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397. *ADONIS-Rose and purple.

AIMÉ PORTE - Blush white, full flower. 1s.

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401. BLACKDOUGLAS—Serrated petals of intense dark maroon-red, striking in colour, and very free. Awarded two Certificates.

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407. COMÈTE BIELA—Brick-red, shaded orange, very pretty and late flowering.

408.*†DUPONT DE LEURE—Rich golden yellow, deep amber centre; fine.

409. EXPOSITION DE CHALON—Rosy violet, streaked white.

410. *†ELEONORE—Crimson, tipped gold.
411. ECLIPSE—Bronzy red. tipped golden

yellow; a fine semi-globular flower.
412. FEU D'AMOUR—Rosy purple.
413.*†FANNY—Maroon-red; free and fine.

415.*†GOLDEN MDLLE. MARTHE, syn.

MISS OUBRIDGE—The finest yellow Pompon yet introduced.

416*†GOLDEN CEDO NULLI — Canary-yellow.

417. *GOLDEN TREVENNA—Useful.

418. GOLDEN ST. THAIS—Clear yellow.

421. JAMES FORSYTH—Orange-crimson, shaded brown; distinct.

422. LE PARNASSE-Clear violet.

423.†*LILAC CEDO NULLI—Rosy lilac.

LIZZY HOLMES—Bronze, changing to yellow.

424. L'ORANGÈRE — Beautiful apricotyellow, very free. 1s.

425. LA FAVORITE — Rosy lilac, tipped white; pretty.

426. LA PURETÉ—Of the purest white, full size.

427*†MDLLE. MARTHE—Extra fine and dwarf, pure white.

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MRS. MARDLIN—A pale rose, sport from President; useful. 1s.

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434. PURITY—White, a very free bloomer, and for cut flowers one of the best; earlier than Suowdron.

†PYGMALION—Deep rose.

435. †ROSINANTE—Silvery blush,

436. *ROSE D'AMOUR—Clear rose.

437. *ROSE TREVENNA-Rosy blush; fine

438. RUBRA PERFECTA—Rich purplish crimson; extra fine. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S.

439. **NEATNESS**—Quilled rosy-pink, pure white tips to each petal, useful for decoration.

440.*†SAINT MICHAEL—Bright gold, full size; good.

441. SUNSET—Orange-brown.

442. SAINTE THAIS—Chestnnt and brown.

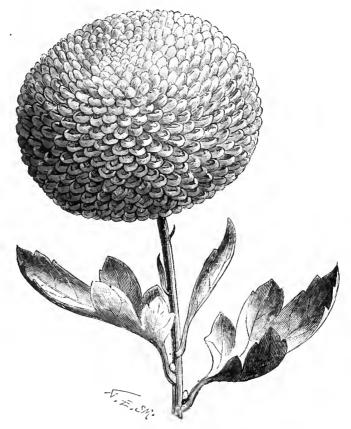
443. VOLCAN — Deep reddish mahogany, tipped gold; dwarf and free.

444. NEW YORK—Amaranth, tipped yel low, passing to white.

445. *WHITE TREVENNA—White; very

446.*†WHITE CEDO NULLI—White, with brown tips.

447. NELLY RAINFORD — Buff, sport from Resinante, useful



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ALFRED CHANTRIER - Goldenyellow, rose and violet, petals fluted; large. 1s.

449. AQUIDNECK—Dull red, long petals; very distinct. Is. each.

450. *ALBUM PLENUM - White, light sulphur centre, very large.

451. ALBERT DE NAUROIS-Enormens

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456. †BEAUTÉ DE TOULOUSE—Large and double, pure shining whitish rose, reverse of petals silvery; free.

457. BELLE ETOILE—Rosy-violet, tipped

gold; large and fine.

458. BEAUTY OF SWANLEY-Of a very pretty shade of soft lilae, slightly shaded pink; very full. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S.

459. *BELLE PAULE syn. BELLE PAUL-INE-Flowers very large, of the purest white. edged rose; distinct.

460. BEAUTÉ DES JARDINS-Brilliant

amaranth, shaded violet. 461. BOULE D'OR—Yellow, tipped bronze,

broad petals. 1s.

462. *BARONNE DE PRAILLY - Light lilae-rose, spotted and tinted white, large; when well-grown deep lilae.

463. *BRONZE DRAGON—Bronze-yellow 464. *BALMOREAU—Amaranth, tinted

465.*†BOUQUET FAIT—Beantiful soft rose, faintly tinted lilac and silvery white.

466. *BEND OR-Much twisted, grand show flower, bright sulphur-yellow.

467. BELLE VALANTINOISE — Bright canary yellow, dusted rusty red.

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- 469. *COMTESSE DE BEAUREGARD -Light rese, a beautiful large flower.
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489. DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT — Beautiful delicate blush, petals incurved

490. ÉTOILE TOULOUSAINE — Large and double, red drooping petals curled and twisted, centre spiral.

491. *ÉLAINE, syn. WHITE AIGLE—Pure white, back of petals slightly tinted when old; an exceedingly useful flower, with broad petals, very full; extra fine, one of the best.

492. *ETHEL - Pure white, erect petals; fine, late.

493. *ERECTUM SUPERBUM—Magentapink, broad florets, large,

494. ELISE—Silvery lilac, petals twisted.

495. *ÉTOILE DU MIDI—Large-llowering, orange-red, centre flowers slightly curled.

496. FERNAND FÈRAL—Soft rose, shaded manye, and suffused cream colour; large and line.

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497. *FAIR MAID OF GUERNSEY-1'ure white, and entirely distinct; the flowers are extra large, and composed of long ribbon-shaped petals.

498. *FÉE RAGEUSE—White, shaded with

lavender, large.

499. FIMBRIATUM—Beautiful silvery pink, very long petals. 1s.

500. *FULGORE — Rosy purple, shaded

501. FORMOSA—Clear reddish amaranth; large and fine.

502. FLAMME DE PUNCH—Suffused and striped golden yellow. First-Class Certificate. 1s.

503. *FANNY BOUCHARLAT - White, shaded lilac, twisted petals; very fine.

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506. *GARNET—Vivid red-scarlet, with a

gold line round each petal; flowers double. 1s.

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510. GORGEOUS—Golden yellow.

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512. GRAND TURC - Deep amaranth, edged with white, enormous flower. 1s.

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517.*JANE SALTER-White, bordered and striped with rosy lilac; flowers large and composed of long, broad, curved petals; early; very

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J. COLLINS-Coppery bronze, large flat florets. First-Class Certificate, 1s.

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523. *LA BIEN AIMÉE-White, tinted lilac, reverse of petals rosy violet, yellow centre. First-Class Certificate.

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524. *L'AMI MAURISOT—Reddish crimson.

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tificate, N. C. S.

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Silvery white.

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crimson. 674. DR. BARRIE-Golden-yellow, crim-

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677. ENCHANTRESSE - Rese, tinted violet, reverse silvery.

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741. SOURCE D'OR-Orange and gold. SOUV. D'ANGELE AMIEL—Bluish white and rosy carmine.

742. TINTAMARRE—Creamy white and carmine.

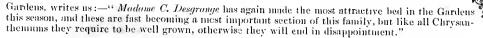
743. TOKIO-Reddish bronze and vellow.

TUBIFLORUM—Rosy mauve, passing 744.to white: distinct.

WM. CLARKE—Reddish chestnut and yellow: extra fine.

EARLY-FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

ARLY flowering Chrysanthemums are making rapid improvement; we now give them more attention and grow them better, Our house, after the Carnations and Picotees were removed, and during August and September, was really a fine sight. It cannot be said we have nothing but Dahlias in the autumn, for these can be had in abundance; yes, for many continue throwing up flowers after the first lot are ent-so very different to the ordinary November kinds, and for bedding many of the varieties make a grand feature. Mr. Graham, the Superintendent of Hampton Court



745. BLUSHING BRIDE—A beautiful hybrid, bright rese-lilae, fading off to a heautiful blush.

746. G. WERMIG, syn. GOLDEN MADAME DESGRANGE—A sport from the white variety; primrcse-yellow. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S.

747. CURIOSITY—Shaded pink or French white.

748. ALICE BUTCHER—A sport from the well-known variety *Lyon*, red, shaded orange. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 1s. 6d. each.

749. FLORA, syn. LATE FLORA—Deep golden yellow. 1s.; entrings, 6d.

750. FREDERICK PELÉ—Deep crimson red, tipped light gold; fine.

751. FIBERTA—Rich canary yellow; good

habit. 1s.

753. FLAMBEAU TOULOUSAIN—Rosy violet, tipped white. First Class Certificate. 1s.6d. CHILON CHILARD—Purplish rose;

grood form. 1s.
GOLDEN FLEECE—Clear yellow.

one of the best,
GENTILESSE—Creamy sulphur, each

petal tipped soft rosy peach. 1s.
GOLDEN LUXEMBOURG—A sport

from Mrs. Wood, golden yellow. 1s. 6d.

HERMINE—Pearly white; free and early; dwarf. 1s.

PIERRE VERFIEL—Orange shaded carmine, -1s,

754. LA BIEN-AIMÉE—Rosy purple. 9d. 755. LA PETITE MARIE—Flowers white and medium sized, petals recurved like a Daisy; free branching, close habit. 1s.

756. LYON—Deep rosy purple; the best of the colour in early flowering varieties. 1s.

757. MISS DAVIS—Pink; sport from Mrs. Culling ford. 1s.

758. MDME. PICCOL—Resy purple, very fine.

760. MADAME CASTEX DESGRANGE
—Very useful and effective, medium-sized white
flowers, light yellow centre; of Japanese character. 1s.

761. MR. W. PIERCY—Sport from Madame Piccol; red, changing to bronze-brown; good. 1s.

762. MIGNON—Bright golden yellow, neat round flowers; very free. 1s.

763. MRS. J. R. PITCHER (Jap.) — White, slightly tinted, changing to pure white; very early and useful for cutting. 1s. each.

764. MRS. CULLINGFORD—Very white, slightly tinted in centre; n good white.

765. FRÉDÉRIC MARRONET — Dwarf, stiff habit, orange coloured. 1s.

766. MDLLE. JOLIVART—Pure white, large well-formed flowers; a fine variety.

767. NANUM, syn. SISTOU—Silver blush; free blooming.

771. POMPON TOULOUSAIN — Reddish orange; a profuse bloomer and a good grower.

772. PRÉCOCITÉ—Deep reddişh crimson, base of petals yellow. 18.

773. SALTER'S EARLY BLUSH—Light pink, delicately shaded lilac. 1s.

777. TOREADOR—Bronzy red; one of the best. 1s.

778. YELLOW PETITE MARIE—Habit and form identical with the well-known white variety; clear bright canary-yellow. 1s. each.

COUNTRY GROWN PLANTS AND CUTTINGS.

The difference between our country grown plants and entrings, and those grown and sold in or near London or other towns, is so nonifest, that no comparison can be drawn. True, they like soot at their roots, but not to be covered with it, as they must be when grown in such a situation, and for the want of light are poor and drawn up; whereas, ours are clean, strong, and healthy, and will root in half the time.

OCTOBER-FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

THAT a turn these are taking and how truly wonderful are their various forms and colours. Only a few years ago we had nothing but the ordinary form, now it is difficult to say from which parent they have sprung, and there will have to be, in the course of a few years, several additional classes. Some of the new varieties possess no real novelty nor beauty, and such will be discarded; but where fresh beauty exists, no matter how curious, they will have to be amnounced and recommended. The top flower of the engraving represents Alexandre Dufour, an October flowering hybrid Japanese Pompon; the Pompon is Malle. D'Arnand, a pretty little flower of a rosy purple, slightly pointed yellow, the smallest and most perfect: the next, Richard Larios, which is entirely different, and must be termed a reflexed Japanese (hybrid); its centre is, when half opened, most peculiar, and like the Catharine-wheel fireworks, colour rich rosy purple, each petal margined and tipped with white, large

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OCTOBER-1 LOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

flowers, very free and striking; the lower right-hand variety is La Vierge, pure white, one of the best early flowering white, and as decided a cross between the hybrid Pompon and the ordinary old reflexed class as is possible, and one of the most valuable. The remaining variety, *Inimitable*, is an improved and distinct form of a hybrid Pompon, beautiful in shape and perfectly distinct in colour, very free, and for early shows one of the best in its class. (See engraving.)



780. A. VILLATTE DES PRUGNES (Jap.) -Yellow and violet rose, golden centre. First-Class Certificate. 1s.

781. ALEX. DUFOUR — Brilliant violet, bordering on Bishop's violet, reflex dark violet; dwarf habit; very free and early Received First-Class Certificate. 1s.

782. BLANC PRECOCÉ (Jap.) - Wbite,

shading to pink. 1s. 6d. 783. AIGLE D'OR, syn. HEBDEN BRIDGE and BERROL-Bright yellow,

large. BLANCHE COLOMB - Creamy white pompon; distinct. 1s.

784. BOLIDE—A beautiful yellow Pompon; one of the best.

785. BOUQUET ESTIVAL - Deep resy shade, reverse of petals silver.

786. DRIN DRIN—Yellow; very free.

788.—FLEUR D'ÉTÉ — Amaranth, shaded and tipped white.

789. FÉLICITÉ—Changing from orange to yellow, a fine variety; extremely free and showy.

790. GENERAL CANROBERT-Yellow, very free bloomer.

791. ISADORE FERAL - Rose-lilac. chamois centre.

792. JAS. SALTER (Jap.)—Clear lilac or resy manye, shaded towards centre, incurved.

LA VIERGE—Dwarfest and best pure

white in cultivation. Received Certificate. 794. L'ILE DES PLAISIRS—(Syn. Early Red Dragon)—Fiery crimson, golden tips; dwarf. First-Class Certificate, R.H.S.

795. LA CHARMEUSE—Rich purple, tipped white; small flowers.

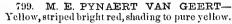
797. LADY SELBORNE (Jap.)-A pure white sport from Jas. Salter, very useful and early.

798. MARGOT (Jap.)-Resy violet, centre cream.

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800. MANDARIN—Creamy white, passing to pure white, shaded rose. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S.

801. ROI DES PRÉCOCES—Rich erimson, shaded red and lightened gold, centre golden.

802. SŒUR MELAINE—Pure white, extremely fine; free and useful, extra.

803. VIÈRGE JAPONAISE—Lilae, passing to pure white, free.

E. G. HENDERSON ET SON (Jap.)

-Golden red, reverse crimson. 1s.

GRACE ATTICK (Jap.)—Pure white,

hrge flat flower, tubular petals. 1s.
G. WRIGLEY (Jap.)—Rose, shaded silver. 1s.

MDME. HOSTE (Jap.)—Rosy lilac

and salmon, creamy centre. 1s.

W. E. BOYCE (Jap.)—Goldon yellow, creamy centre, tinted lilac, 1s.

WM. HOLMES (Jap.)—Large and fine, rich brownish crimson. Two First-Class Certificates. 1s. 6d. each.

All those not priced, 6d. each. Cuttings, purchaser's selection, 2s. per dozen; our selection, 1s. 6d. per dozen; 10s. per 100. New varieties in proportion.

SINGLE CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

If we were to print half the extracts from the various hortienltural papers, and the letters from those to whom we have sent flowers, including some of the highest titled patrons in the land, they would fill many pages, therefore we are convinced the following will suffice to cause these most highly useful and easily grown flowers to be enlitivated in every garden. As figured in the Gardeners' Magazine, Journal of Horticulture, and Florist and Pomologist, they are little or no trouble to grow; produce more blooms, last longer in good condition, either out or ment, than the doubles: in persistency of petal the single Dahlias bear no comparison, neither do they for real beauty and use. Further, they have a nice perfume, and for all kinds of decoration will not only add a new charm, but fill our tables with brightness and beauty up to and past Christmas.

804. AMERICA—Opening blush, studing off to white; large and fine.

805. AURORA (Cullingford) — Maroon-chestnut; large and showy. 1s.

806. BRUNETTE—Deep reddish chestmut,

edged and tipped gold; distinct. 808. CANARIENSE—Improved, clear yellow, large; distinct. Is.

809. CASINO-Rich rose, striped white, large, 1s.

810. CRIMSON AND GOLD—Rich crimson. 1s.

811. CRUSHED STRAWBERRY — Λ nseful variety for general decoration; effective, 1s. 6d.

LADY CHURCHILL—Distinct, and exactly like the engraving. Perhaps here and there a petal may show itself near the centre, but which may be easily removed. Colour a deep terra-centa, with a yellow shade; good grower, very free, and is a new form of the single type of this family. First-Class Certificate, 1s.

JANE (Snowflake)—The twisted and elegantly arranged petals of this variety render it, in our opinion, a long way the best and most valuable white Single Chrysanthemmn yet raised. Awarded two First-Class Certificates. 2s.

812. FIGARO—Rosy magenta, white and yellow at base of florets; large. 1s.

813. GUS. HARRIS—Dwarf habit, and forming into a perfect specimen, laden with medium-size well-formed flowers of a rosy lilac colour, distinct yellow disc; very free.

814. HELIANTHUS—Rich, pure yellow; large. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 1s. 6d.

815. MARIGOLD—Chestunt-crimson; very showy; large. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 1s. 6d.

816. MARY ANDERSON (Cannell)—Opening flowers pure white, when it attains its full size and with age becomes tinged with a delicate pink blush; of the finest form. 1s.

817. METEOR (Cullingford) — Chestnut, shaded gold, medium size; distinct. 1s.

818. MISS ROSE (Teesdale)—White, slightly stained pink blush, very free and effective. First-Class Certificate, N.C.S.

819. MISS CANNELL—One of the best medium-size, finely-formed, pure white, flowers distinct, yellow centre; free and effective. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 2s.

820. MISS ELLEN TERRY—In this we have one of the finest varieties—long petals of a bright magenta colour, clear yellow dise; free and fine.

821. MOZART — Fine large flowers, rosy brown, shaded yellow. 1s.

MRS, Å, LE MOULT—Amarauth-crimson; large, -1s.

822. MRS, DEANE—A Japan petalled-shape flower, pure white; quite distinct.

823. MRS. J. WILLS—Colour white, suffused with a lovely tint of pink; large and most effective.

824. MRS, KELLOCK—Large flowers, of a rosy lilae shade, florets quilled at base of a lighter colour; quite distinct.

825. MRS, ROBERTSON—Creamy white. lilac shade at base of petals; large. 1s.

826. NELLY (Teesdale)—Bright lilac-pink, deep orange centre; medium.

827. OCEANA—Silvery blush, large; one of the best. 1s.

828. ORIFLAMME (Teesdale)-Soft reddish brown: large and distinct. 1s.

829 PRESIDENT ARTHUR—Bright golden yellow, fine habit. Is.

830. PYRETHRUM - Light pink, shaded lavender; early; large.
THE VIRGIN—Pure white, large

flowers; late.

831. QUEEN OF THE YELLOWS — Λ useful variety. First-Class Certificate, R. H.S. 1s.

832. SCARLET GEM-A fine addition. medimn size. – Is.

833. SIMS REEVES—Chestnut-red, fine habit; a most attractive variety.

834. W. A. HARRIS-Deep bronze on a pure golden yellow ground; distinct.

All those not priced, 6d. each.

Cuttings of new varieties half price.

CHRYSANTHEMUM (MARGUERITES) PARIS DAISIES.

(Golden and Silver Stars.)

This class is really one of the most valuable for cut flowers; with only ordinary care they can be had in flower all the year. During the winter they are indispensable, and if afterwards planted out they make a splendid bed; if they have a fault at all, it is because they are too easily propagated. They were much admired by all visitors at the Paris Exhibition, and are extensively grown in the French parks as bedding plants. The fact of their never ceasing flowering makes them household flowers everywhere.



835. ALICE CROUSSE-Dwarf and very free; one of the best.

836. HALLERI MAXIMA-White, very free; one of the finest.

CLOTH OF GOLD (Coronarium type) -Flowers single, beautiful clear golden yellow. 1s. each.

837. COMTE DE CHAMBORD-Yellow. 9d.

838. CORONARIUM GRANDIFLORUM —Blooms all the winter.

White; splendid bedder.

839. CORONARIUM FRUTESCENS-

ÉTOILE D'OR-Yellow; blooms nine 840. months in a year. 1s.

841. MADAME FARFÆILLON.

MINIATUM-White. 842.

843. PINNATIFIDA—Beautiful foliage

844. SPECIOSUM (Leucanthemum)-Supposed to be the original variety.

845. ULIGINOSUM (Pyrethrum)-White. large yellow centre; blooms in September. A valuable hardy species, splendid for cut flowers.

846. CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM— Pure white, vellow centre; fine for cutting, 6d. each: 4s. per doz.

6d. each; flowering plants. 1s. each.

DOUBLE MARGUERITE (CORONARIUM CLASS).

Blooms all the year.

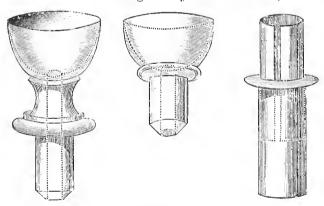
847. AURORA, DOUBLE - Bright yellow flowers, small and wenderfully neat and pretty: invaluable for cut flowers, and for button-holes not excelled by any other flowers. Certificate. 6d.; flowering plants, 1s. 6d.

As the new varieties of Chrysanthemums are propagated, the prices will be lowered accordingly. Prices on application.

THE FIRST CHRYSANTHEMUM SHOW IN ENGLAND was held at Norwich in the year 1830, and the names of the varieties exhibited were:-Tasselled Yellow, Clustered Pink, Yellow Cluster, Silver White, Yellow Flame, Early Blush, Changeable Pale Buff, Large Lilve, and Golden Yellow. How happy nurserymen and gardeners must have been in these days, with so few and such easy names!

CHRYSANTHEMUM COMPETITION. CUP AND WATER TUBE,

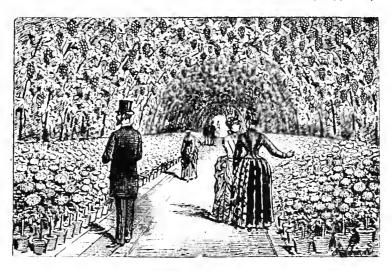
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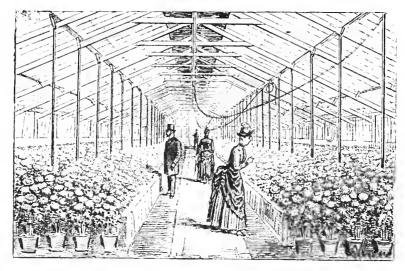


ALSO BOARDS AND SHOW BOXES. (See page 90.)

Mr. K. E. Congreyr, Millmount, near Edenderry, King's Co., March 25th, 1887. The plants are very good, and beautifully packed, and as fresh as if only a few hours in the box.

We insert the accompanying engravings just to show the pleasure and satisfaction our plants and cuttings give in all parts of the world. The two views represent the public exhibition of Chrysanthemams at Monsieur Cordonnier's, Ronbaix, France, all originally supplied by us







JUDGING AT SHOWS,



We receive a number of applications, but it is only on special occasions that we can accept the office; we are, however, acquainted with almost every expert in this branch of Floriculture, and should be pleased to recommend those possessing thorough knowledge and competent to act as censors, whom, we feel sure, will give every satisfaction.

SULPHATE OF AMMONIA.

This will be found useful in the cultivation of the Chrysanthemum, more especially to swell out the buds, and give vigour to the whole plant.

6d. per lb.; 7 lbs., 3s. 2d.; 14 lbs., 6s. 6d.; 28 lbs., 1ls.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR LARGER QUANTITIES.

STEEL TWEEZERS.



FOR PULLING OUT THE GREEN EYE OR CENTRE, AND DEFORMED PETALS. Price, 1s. 6d. each.

IVORY TWEEZERS.



All who wish to have their Blooms in Perfect Shape on the Exhibition Table must have these.

Post free for 3s. 6d.

CANNELL'S "REAL MANURE," OF FLOWER PRODUCER,

AND HOW TO GET THE FIRST PRIZES.

SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

1 lb. tin, 1s., parcel post, 1s. 6d.; 3 lb. tin, 2s. 6d., parcel post, 3s. 3d.; 6 lb. tin, 4s. 6d., parcel post, 5s. 6d.

PRICES FOR LARGER QUANTITIES, IN BAGS, SEE END OF CATALOGUE.

1 oz. to the gallon.



SUPPORTS FOR CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

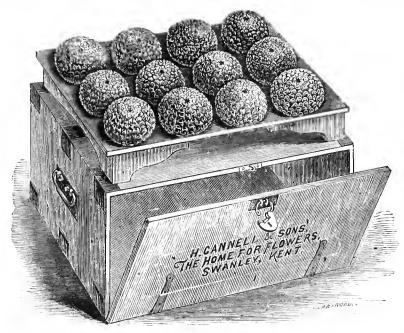
Will be found useful for staging Pompon Anemones. 1s. 6d. per doz.

Mr. John Read, Retreat Villas, Aylestone Park, Leicester, September 22nd, 1887.

I got first prize in amateur class for Japanese Chrysanthennums at our local show with blooms cut from plants grown with your Real Manure in 1886.

Your Real Manure suits Camellias wonderfully, producing enormous flowers, whites measuring five inches across, with dark green foliage, and developing as many as five flowers on a stem of the old mottled searlet.

SHOW BOX AND STAND, WITH CUPS AND TUBES COMPLETE



Show Box, painted an	d varnishe	d, with ty	vo stanc	ls for	12 blee	ms	 	• • •	30s. each.
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BOX COMPLETE, £1 1s.

W. Duncan, Esq., Newton Saint Cyres, nr. Exeter, Sept. 12th, 1887.
The box with plants has arrived safely to-day. I have impacked the plants, and find all according to order, and in perfect condition. The packing was all that could be desired.

CINERA'RIAS.

MAT a splendid display these make when well grown! yet many have the idea that they are a dirty class of plants, and always infested with fly, but when they are so, it is nearly always because they have been starved and confined in an unfavourable, dry atmosphere. and often placed next to some other infected plant. When seedlings or young plants are potted, place in a close frame for three or four days until they recover, and afterwards expose during the months of September and October to all favourable weather, and even during the night with as cold a temperature as possible, just excluding the frost, and, as soon as the pots are filled with roots, supply with liquid manure, and at all times well surround with a moist, airy atmosphere. This family of plants should be the king of the greenhouse all through the spring, for really we know of no plant so easily grown as the Cineraria, and very seldom we find it necessary to funnigate until just before they are coming into flower. (For other particulars, see Seed List.)

DOUBLE CINERARIAS.

E have one of the linest collections, and were awarded the Gold Medal at Ghent. Belgium, for three dozen of these double flowers which commissed the Market of the Belgium. three dozen of these double flowers, which surprised Her Majesty the Queen of the Belgians and thousands of spectators, and were frequently styled the Flower of the Flowers of the whole show.

These have been brought to such perfection, and the colours are so very beautiful, that they must now be considered not only a novelty but a choice and desirable plant, both for cut flowers and button-holes, and one of the best plants for the greenhouse, requiring precisely the same treatment as the single varieties; our 100-ft, house during April is a splendid sight.

- ADA -Deep blue, flowers line and double: grand
- 2. A. F. BARRON Deep magenta, very full and double: dwarf and Irce. Received two First-Class Certificates. 2s. 6d.
- 3. ALBERT VICTOR-Deep pink; dwarf and Irce.
- 4. AMAZON-Light rosy-purple, large and double. free and good.
- 5. BLONDEUM-Very dwarf and compact, medium
- size double flowers; deep pink, white at base of petals.
 6. CHAD VALLEY BEAUTY—Bright violetblue, shaded lilac, pure white at base of florets, medium size; dwarf and free. 2s.
 - 7. EDISON—Producing large double flowers of a
- purplish blue; distinct.
 s. FAIRY QUEEN-Pure white, tipped with bright rosy-filac, medium size-flowers. 2s.
- 9. F. STANGER—Bluish purple, medium size; free and dwarf. 2s. 6d.
- GEO, SANDS—Bright magenta, medium
- size double flowers 11. HARGRAVE - Light purple, reverse of petals silvery; very double. 2s.
- 12. HERMIA—Beautiful rosy pink, large and line.
- 13. H. WEBB Deep bluish purple, flowers large and double; very free.
- J. BLACK—Rich purplish blue, large double flowers; dwarf and free. 2s.
- 15. J. PHILLIPS-Light magenta; very dwarf and free.
- 16. KATE Beantiful pure white, tinted delicate lilac-pink, flowers very double and of good form. 2s. 6d.



DOUBLE CINERARIA.

- MARY-Light magenta, flowers medium size, lloriferous and showy: a fine variety. 2s.
- 18. MILTON-Beantiful deep blue, reverse of petals silvery white, flowers large and double; dwarf. 2s.
- 19. MISS SIMPSON-Rich deep bluish purple, large, and of the most compact form. 2s.
- 20. MR. THOMAS LLOYD-Very deep purplish blue, tipped bluish lake, flowers of great merit and size; one of the finest and best.
- 21. PHŒBE -Pure white, mottled deep pink, flowers large and very double; dwarf and effective. 2s.
- 22. PROFESSOR HENSLOW-Flowers large, dccp purple, reverse of petals silvery: distinct.

23. **RANUNCULUS** — Double and well formed, pure white, edged rosy like; dwarf and free. 2s,

24. ROSINA-Magenta, very double.

25. ROWENA—Light resymagenta; dwarf and bushy.

onble.

26. SOPHIA—Very deep magenta, flowers fine and double; free. 2s.

All those not priced, 1s. 6d.

SINGLE CINERARIAS. SEE COLOURED PLATE.

UR collection of Cinerarias is well known to contain grand varieties, and we invite all to come and see our houses during their period of blooming.

27. **ADMIRABLE**—Beautiful rich magenta, dark disc, flowers large and produced freely; very dwarf.

28. ADMIRATION—Of a pleasing shade of blue, medium size flowers; free.

29. AMELIA—Beantiful colour of a shade of deep crimson-magenta, distinct pure white centre; fine.

30. ACHIEVEMENT—Deep purplish crimson, flowers well formed and of good substance; line.

31. ADVANCER—White, regularly edged and pointed in a most peculiar manner with deep magenta, large and well formed; dwarf and free.

32. ALBA MAGNA—Pure white, of medium size; free. 2s.

33. ARGUS—Deep crimson magenta, of fine form and substance, fine overlapping petals; dwarf and fine. 2s.

34. BLUE CIRCLE—Light indigo blue, shading off to a rosy grey, broad white circle round dark disc; attractive. 2s.

TRUE BLUE—As regards colour it is the finest we have; free, dwarf, and compact.

35. BURGUNDY — Deep plum-coloured magenta, fine form and substance; free and distinct. 2s.

37. **DELIGHT**—A tricoloured variety, medium size flowers, but very distinct and pretty.

38. **DISTINCTION**—Deep rose, broad ring of pure white round disc; fine formed flowers; dark and free. 2s. 6d.

39. DR. MASTERS—Flowers large and of the finest form and substance, bright magenta, with broad, central, pure white ring; one of the finest. 3s. 6d.

40. DR. ASHURST—Deep magenta self, flowers large and well formed, very free and fine. 2s.

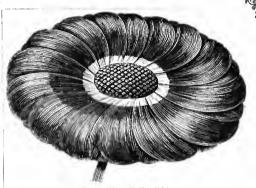
41. DR. TUCKER—Quite distinct, of a pleasing tint of colour, rosy pink, finted lilac, tlowers medium size, of fine shape and form; very free.

42. ERNEST—Deep purplish blue of a most distinct colour, shading off towards centre to a bluish lake, pure white ring; fine.

₱ 43. ETHEL—Good broad overlapping petals, pure white, slightly edged soft lilac.

- 44. **EXCELSIOR**—Colour magenta, flowers large and finely formed; very dwarf. 2s.
- 45. G. BRYCESON—A variety possessing good substance of petal, and of time form, medium size, very regular, intense magenta, with a narrow central ring of white.
- 46. **GENERAL GORDON**—Λ purplish blue of great substance; thowers freely produced; dwarf. 2s.
- 47. GRANDIS—Delicate lilae-pink, broad white centre, flowers of extra size.
- 49. INTENSITY—Very deep rich purple, shading off towards centre to a deep lilac, narrow white ring.
- 50. J. DOUGLAS—Deep magents, with a very regular and clean cut central ring of pure white, medium-size flowers, but well formed and freely produced.
- 51. **LOTHAIR** Very rich indigo-blue, slightly tinged purple, medium size; very free.
- 52. MARCH PAST—Rich velvety maroon, slightly finted purple, conspicuous pure white eye encircling the dark disc; robust habit and free bloomer. Received a First-Class Certificate. 2s. 6d.
- 53. MISS COOPER—Indigo blue, distinct pure white ring round dark dise; distinct and showy, dwarf and free. 2s.
- 54. MISS FORTESCUE Pearly white, broadly edged with intense magenta; very free and showy.
- 55. MR. CULLINGFORD—Beautiful rich magenta-crimson, tinted maroon, narrow white ring round disc, flowers medium size; free. First-Class Certificate. 2s.
- 56. MRS. BURT—A distinct and early flowering variety, forming large heads of bloom, deep plum-coloured crimson, with a broad ring of pure white. 2s. 6d.
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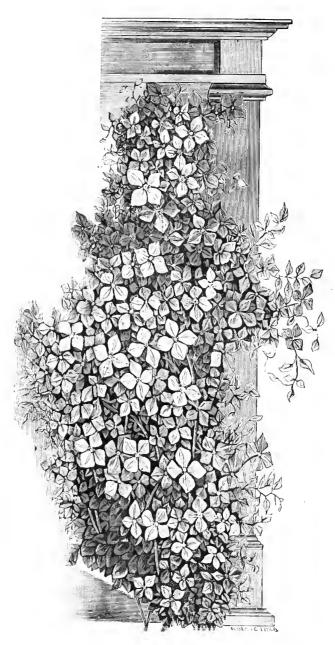


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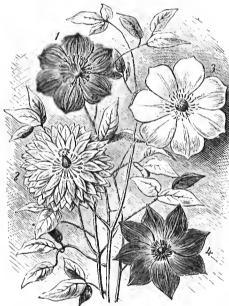
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The best 24, and most distinct.

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- 20. HENDERSONII-A very attractive and well known variety.
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TAYLOR'S PET-Deep erimson-maroon, and when planted out turning to black; it is said to withstand the cold much better than the well known Verschaffeltii. 6d.

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Smaller foliage; exquisite little Gems for Table Decoration.

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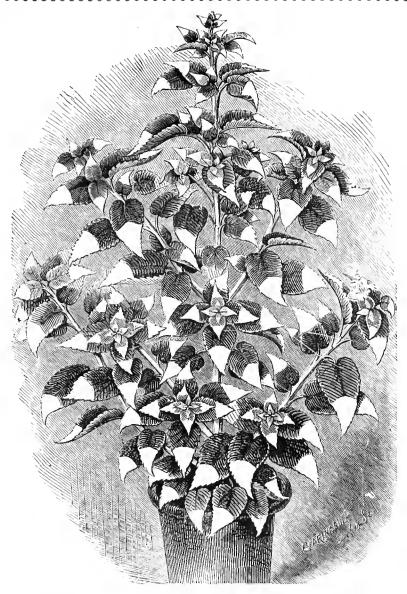
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Mr. R. Lemb, West Ardsley, near Wakefield, August 11th, 1887.

I got the first prize with the Colcuses, and a prize with the Cockscombs I had from you.

J. R. Jessop, Esq., Beverley Road, Hull, August 12th, 1887. I miss your Floral Guide sadly. You have not sent me one this year.

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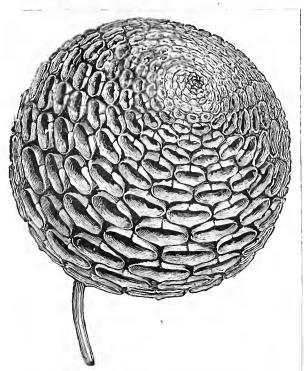
44. PINE APPLE BEAUTY—The most remarkable variegation ever raised; strong grower, and producing every leaf as the plant gains size, one half becoming a bright yellow, and the other red; strong and oval, like the engraving.

Mr. J. Makings, Alexandra Park, Nottingham, Sept. 12th, 1887.

Plants safe to hand 10th inst. in excellent condition, and give every satisfaction, for which I thank you very much.

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E have been awarded Medals for many years past at the Crystal Palace and South Kensington. Although we do not grow for competition, we have exhibited the largest and most complete collections, the finest flowers, and made the greatest display.



For five successive years we were awarded by the Royal Horticultural Society. South Kensington, Gold and Silver Gilt Medals, for the best and most complete collections. It should be distinctly understood that we grow above 1,000 plants of the Show and Fancy class alone to the greatest perfection; in fact, they form quite a grand feature in our Nursery, and the following list is unquestionably most complete.

When these are well grown they are one of the noblest and most beautifully made flowers in cultivation, but to grow them well they must have an anxious and industrious master, for their wants are continual from June to September. They require a good deep soil, well trenched, and full of manure. Obtain, about the end of April, wiry small-stemmed plants, shift them at once into 6-inch pots. keep them in a frame with the lights only kept on at night; plant them out when the first warm nights in June arrive, well stake them as they grow. and cover the ground with four inches of stable manure, watering them overhead every day, or oftener if the weather be very dry, and thinning the lateral shoots out in the case of medium growers, but these with large flowers less, supplying the plants when making their flower bads with a soaking of liquid mannre, besides washing them overhead every night to keep thrip The above direcfrom the flowers. tions are for show purposes, and the following varieties are most constant. finest for exhibition, and also make a grand display in shrubbery borders where allowed to grow as they like.

Daily News, Angust 24th, 1887.—" Show held in Royal Horticultural Gardens, South Kensington, —The Silver Banksian Medal was awarded to Messrs. Cannell & Sons, Swanley, for their marvellonsly rounded and perfect Dahlias."

Mr. D. BOOKER, 1, Franklin Road, Brighton, June 6th, 1887. I received the Dahlias and seeds quite safe and sound. I am well satisfied with them, and shall be pleased to recommend you to any of my employers.

Mr. R. Gilbert. Burghley Gardens, Stamford. Angust 7th, 1887. The collection of Pompon Dalalias you sent us in the spring are just now in full bloom; the varieties of colour and their exquisite forms renders them the admiration of all who see them.

T. A. RAYNER, Esq., Sandy, Beds, August 27th, 1887.

I am pleased to tell you that I was awarded two First Prizes for Dahlins—viz., Show and Fancy—at our Show.

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BEST SHOW VARIETIES.

- LL Flowers with ground colours lighter than that of the tips are show kinds, and are included with the self-colours in this class.
- 1. ADMIRATION—Yellow ground, edged and mottled lake, very pleasing.
- 2. ALEXANDER CRAMOND Shaded maroon, a most striking flower, very large, always ready, grand.

4. AURORA—Golden buff, distinct new colour, of good form.

5. ANNIE GIBBONS—Primrose, shading off to a fawn colour, good form.

6. ANNIE NEVILLE—White.

- 7. ${\tt BUGLEMAN-Dark}$ maroon, shaded bright crimson.
- BURGUNDY—Rich dark puce, suffused with purple-maroou.

9. BARONESS BURDETT-COUTTS-

Pure yellow, large. 1s.

- 12. COUNTESS OF RAVENSWORTH— Creamy white, lightly tipped lilac, high centre 1s.
- 13. CREAM OF THE VALLEY—Cream colour, with a slight tinge of salmon. 1s.
 14. CHAMPION ROLLO—Large dark
- orange, with a lighter shade on the edge of the petals, a fine bold flower.

15. CRITERION—Delicate rose, a large, fine, back tier flower.

16. CARDINAL—Rich scarlet, full size, fine form, good habit.

17. CELESTIAL — French white, of good form and substance; constant.

19. CLARA — Rosy peach, large constant flower.

- 20. CHARLES LEICESTER Bright scarlet.
- 21. CANARY—The finest yellow; a large noble flower.
- 22. CONSTANCY—Yellow, tipped crimson; very constant and fine.
- 24. DEWDROP—Dark primrose, neat and
- pretty.
 25. DUKE OF ALBANY—Rich erimson,
- of fine form: free.

 26. DUKE OF CONNAUGHT Dark crimson, sometimes shaded purple: good form.
- 27. EARL OF RAVENSWORTH—Beautiful light libac.
- 28 ETHELBRITTON—Blush white, edged with reddish purple, a very pleasing colour, fine form.
- 29. FALCON—Light fawn colour, constant, fine form.
- 30. FRANK RAWLINGS—Rich purplemagenta, perfect form and outline.
- 31. FLAG OF TRUCE—Beautiful white, occasionally tipped lilac.
- 32. GEORGE RAWLINGS—Dark maroon, full sized flower.

- 33. GOLDFINDER—Yellow, tipped red; large and fine shaped flower.
- 34. GEORGE SMITH Bright magenta, fine form.
- 35. GRAND NATIONAL Fine large yellow, of good form.
- 36. HARRYTURNER—Very dark maroon, nearly black; constant.
- 37. HARRISON WEIR—Rich clear yel-
- 10w. 1s.
 38. HOPE Light rosy lilac, large and constant.
- 39. HENRY WALTON—Yellow ground, heavily edged with vermilion; fine.
- 40. HERBERT TURNER—French white, with soft tinge of lilae; noble flower.
- 41. HENRY BOND—Bright rosy lilac, full size, of grand build.
- 42. HON. MRS. P. WYNDHAM—Yellow ground, deeply edged with rosy purple.
- 43. IMPERIAL—Rich deep purple, shaded libr.
- 44. JAMES HUNTLEY—Purple, equal to J. Cocker, but an earlier bloomer and quite distinct.
- 45. JOHN HENSHAW-Rich ruby crimson, deep, full, and fine.
- 46. JAMES GILBERT Dark maroon-crimson.
- 47. **HARRY KEITH**—Rosy purple, a large fine flower, constant. 1s.
- 48. JOSEPH B. SERVICE—Deep yellow, Prince Arthur type, but much larger.
- 49. JAMES VICK—Purplish maroen, colour intense, very full.
- 51. JOHN WYATT—Crimson-scarlet, extra fine form and petal.
- 52. JOSEPH ASHBY—Shaded orange; a beautifully formed flower, very constant.
- 53. JOHN STANDISH—Bright red. large and constant. Fine form.
- 54. JULIA WYATT—Creamy white, large.
- 1s. 55. JOHN N. KEYNES—Light yellow
- most constant of the yellows.
 56. JAMES COCKER—Purple, very con-
- stant. 57. JOHN W. LORD—Shaded orange-buff,
- lighter in colour on the surface.

 58. JOHN BENNETT Yellow, deeply
- edged scarlet.
 59. JOHN HARRISON—Yellow ground, tipped and pencilled light crimson. 1s.
- 60. LIZZIE LEICESTER—Pink, curiously pencilled; pretty and constant.
- 61. LADY G. HERBERT-White, deeply edged with crimson.

62. WIMBORNE - Deep pink, LADY heavily shaded with rose; quite a new colour.

63. LUCY BERRY-Lilae, suffused white at base of petals. 1s.

64. MARY NESBITT-Rosy purple.

MISS CANNELL—White, tipped rosepink, depth and build of flower very fine.

WEST -66. MAJOR CORNWALLIS Scarlet, with orange shade; good habit.

MIDGET-Cream, tinted pink; a pleasing colour. 1s.

MRS. ALEX. CAMPBELL - Pale

yellow, very large, fine form. 1s. MRS. DODDS - Blush centre, outer

petals light lilac; very pretty. MRS. W. SLACK-Blush white, edged

with purple; fine. 1s. 68. MODESTY—Blush, with great substance

and fine outline. 69. MR. HARRIS—Crimson-scarlet, deep

and full; fine form.

70. MRS. LANGTRY - Cream colour. beautifully edged crimson; full size.

71. MRS. DOUGLAS-Vivid scarlet, of a pleasing shade; good form.

72. MRS. GLASSCOCK—Pure white, full size.

73. MRS. KENDAL - White ground, heavily edged and tipped purple.

MRS. BOSTON—Lilac, useful flower. MRS. W. E. GLADSTONE—A delicate and beautiful shade of silvery pink, constant, and in form grand. 1s.

76. MRS. HARRIS—White ground, lilae edge; a very fine flower.

77. MRS. W. HASKINS-Fawn colour, distinct and good.

78. MRS. STANCOMB - Pale yellow, tipped with fawn; fine.

79. MRS. STAPLES-Yellow-edged crimson, well-built flower. 1s.

80. MISS HENSHAW-White, large, full, and constant.

81. MRS. S. HIBBERD - White, tipped pink; very beautiful.

82. MURIEL—Clear yellow, full size, con-

83. PANDORA - Good size and form, constant.

84. PIONEER - Rich glossy black, the darkest vet raised.

85. PRINCE BISMARCK—Pleasing colour, puce, shot with purple; full size.

86. PICOTEE — Golden yellow ground, narrow crimson edge.

87. PERFECTION OF PRIMROSES— Beautiful primrose, slightly edged rose.

88. PRINCE ofDENMARK — Dark maroon, shaded crimson; fine flower.

89. ROSY MORN—Beautiful rose colour, nothing like it; very constant.

90. REV. J. GOODDAY-Maroon, shaded with purple; very large.

RICHARD DEAN-Deep purple, of finest form. 1s.

91. RIFLEMAN - Beautiful, rich, deep crimson, shaded maroon; fine shape.

92. RUBY GEM - Ruby crimson, small yellow tip; close compact centre.

93. SENATOR—Fine purple, distinct, SIR GARNET WOLSELEY—Reddish chocolate; large, useful flower.

95. SAMUEL PLIMSOLL-A rich purple, of fine shade.

96. SUNBEAM—Clear buff, with a beautiful outline; constant.

97. SHIRLEY HIBBERD-Dark shaded crimson, a noble and very constant flower.

SIR CHAS. MILLS-Clear yellow, good form. SPITFIRE—Bright scarlet, very pro-

fuse. 1s. 98. SYBIL—Good form and constant.

T. J. SALTMARSH—Yellow, deeply edged red, stout cupped petal; new and fine.

THOMAS GOODWIN - Very dark, grand show flower.

THOS. HOBBS - Purplish rose or magenta, very fine. 1s.

VICE PRESIDENT—Bright orange, fine.

102. WALTER H. WILLIAMS-Splendid bright scarlet, surpassing all others of that colour; grand high centre. 1s.

103. WM. RAWLINGS - Rich crimsonpurple, perfect outline.

104. W.DODDS-Orange buff, stout circular petal; constant.

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Mr. J. Nicholls, Peel Street Nursery, Ballaratt, Victoria, Australia, September 19th, 1887. P.O.O. for Dahlias. I will send you my order for seeds by next mail.

D. Campbell Brown, Esq., The Croft, Oban. N.B., September 3rd, 1887. I send you by same post a paper giving a report of our Show, you will see that I carried a good many prizes. Your Begonias (Doubles) were very fine, and were much admired by the visitors. Your Dublias which I exhibited were also very much admired, and I gave your name to a good many visitors.

Mr. W. Dorglas, 4, Bilton Street, Layerthorpe, York, October 9th, 1887. I have great pleasure in informing you that through your instructions, I have taken prizes for the Dahlias you sent me.



THE fancy class are those striped or flaked with a variety of colours or markings, and also those with dark coloured grounds with a light tip; so it will be seen that if a flower has a yellow or searlet ground with white tipped petals, it is a fancy; if the reverse in colours, it is a show flower.

105. ADVENTURE — Large flowers, soft rosy blush ground, striped and marked rosy lake.

106. ALDERMAN—Lilac, heavily striped and spotted purple. 1s.

107. ANNIE PRITCHARD—White, beautifully striped with lilac and rose; large flower.

108. BARNABY RUDGE—Fawn colour, striped and speekled with deep crimson.

109. CHORISTER—Fawn, striped with crimson and rose.

110. CHAS. TURNER—Light buff ground, striped maroon: deep, constant show flower.

111. DUCHESS OF ALBANY—Pale orange ground colour, rich crimson stripes; constant—1s.

112. EDWARD PECK—Deep lilac, striped with rich maroon.

ERIC FISHER—Buff, striped searlet; a fine addition. 1s.

113. FLORENCE STARK—White ground, striped with purple; very pleasing.

114. FREDERICK SMITH—Deep lilac, striped with purple; fine flower.

115. GAIETY—Yellow. striped with red and distinctly tipped white.

GENERAL GRANT—Orange. with bold chocolate stripe; full. 1s.

116. GEN. GORDON—Yellow, beautifully striped scarlet; habit dwarf and free; extra fine.

117. HENRY ECKFORD—Yellow or light buff, striped scarlet; distinct.

118. JOHN FORBES—Fawn colour, striped maroon, possessing the finest properties possible; one of the finest.

119. CHANG—Yellow, striped and mottled scarlet; large.

120. CHARLES WYATT — Deep rese. flaked crimson, and purple ground.

121. FANNY STURT—Red, tipped white; exquisite form.

122. FLORA WYATT—Orange, striped and flaked red; fine.

123. GRAND SULTAN—Buff, bright red stripes; very large.

124. GRAND DUCHESS — Scarlet and crimson, striped.

125. GEORGE BARNES — Rich lilac. striped crimson; noble flower.

126. JAMES O'BRIEN—Yellow, witherimson and reddish rose stripes.

127. **JANNETTE** — Pale yellow, tipped white; large and fine.

128. HUGH AUSTIN — Orange-searlet beantifully striped with dark red. 1s.

129. HERCULES—Yellow ground, striped and speekled rich crimson; large,

130. HENRY GLASSCOCK—Buff. striped and spotted crimson.

131. LOTTY ECKFORD—White, beautifully striped purple. 1s.

MISS BROWNING — Clear yellow, tipped white; grand flower.

132. MADAME SOUBEYRE—Beautiful rosy lilac, striped carmine.

133. MANDARIN—Yellow, striped and mottled purplish crimson.

134. MRS. CARTER—A fine dark variety,

rich maroon, tipped white; fine shape.

135. MRS. FRISELTON—Deep crimson-

purple, tipped white.

136. MRS. N. HALLS — Bright scarlet. tipped white; fine form.

137. MRS. SAUNDERS—Yellow, tipped

white: fine form.
138. **NEPTUNE** — Bright orange. striped crimson; useful.

139. ORACLE — Deep yellow, heavily striped bright crimson.

140. PROFESSOR FAWCETT — Dark lilac, striped with chocolate; a splendid flower.

141. PROSPERO—Maroon, tipped white; very showy.

142. PEACOCK—Deep purple, tipped with pure white.

PELICAN—Pure white, striped purple; back row flower. 1s.

143. POLLY SANDEL—Beautiful lemon colour, tipped white; pretty.

144. QUEEN MAB-White, searlet edges; very showy.

145. REBECCA—Lilac, striped crimson; large.

146. REV. J. B. M. CAMM—Yellow. flaked crimson; large.

147. RICHARD DEAN—Yellow, flaked crimson; large.

148. ROBERT BURNS—Lilac, flaked dark maroon.

149. ROMEO—Buff, striped with maroon, SALAMANDER—Yellow, striped red; good useful flower. 1s.

150. VICEROY—Rosy lilac, with crimson stripes; fine.

151. W. G. HEAD—Very dark, slightly striped crimson; fine form.

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BARON TAUNTON. 152.CHRIS. RIDLEY. 153. CONDOR. 154. CREMORNE. CHAS. LIDGARD. 155. 156. DELIGHT. 157.DAVID SAUNDERS. EMILY EDWARDS. 158. G. DICKSON. 159. H. W. WARD 160. 161. HARRIET TETTERELL. 162. LEAH. LADY GOLIGHTLY. 163. LILLIE WARD. 164. MAGGIE SOUL 165. MR. SPOFFORTH. 166. 167. MR. J. C. REID.

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NEW VARIETIES OF 1887. show varieties.

188. BENDIGO—Purplish-erimson, of perect form; good habit.

MRS. SEAMEN. MICHAEL SAUNDERS.

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189. COLONIST—Chocolate and fawn, new colour; fine form.

190. CRIMSON KING — Deep crimson-scarlet, good early flower; dwarf.

191. **DEFIANCE**—Dark scarlet, with first-class properties.

192. ECLIPSE—Bright orange-scarlet, the finest of this colour.

193. FLORENCE—Bright golden yellow, good form.

194. GOLDEN EAGLE—Yellow, deeply edged scarlet.

195. ILLUMINATOR—Dark red, beautifully shaded orange; large.

196. J. T. WEST-Yellow, heavily tipped purple; fine form, constant.

197. KING OF PURPLES—A fine purple, beautifully formed.

198. MRS. D. SAUNDERS — Ground colour rosy lilae, slightly edged white; large.

199. MRS. FOSTER—Fawn ground colour, shaded salmon and manye; large and fine.

200. MRS. THEOBALD—Rose, beautiful form; good habit and constant.

201. NELLIE TRANTER—Clear yellow. most beautifully formed.

202. PRIMROSE DAME—Primrose yellow, excellent shape.

203. QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS — Delicate cream, inside of petals soft pink; large, constant, and extra fine.

204. ROBT. PETFIELD—Red, fine form and centre; constant, of great depth.

205. ROBINA—Deep rose, shaded and veined, bright in colour.
206. R. T. RAWLINGS—Clear yellow.

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209. WILLIE GARRATT—Bright cardinal, fine form and habit.

FANCY VARIETIES.

210. EDMUND BOSTON—Orange, heavily striped crimson; very fine.

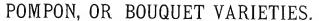
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212. MAGNET-Lilac, densely striped rich purple.

* 2i3. PRINCE HENRY—Lilac, bright purple stripes; large and distinct.

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214. CHAMELEON—Bright yellow ground, heavily edged lake.

215. DANDY—Crimson-purple, small and pretty.

216. DON JUAN—Maroon, small and perfect in shape; free.

217. ECCENTRIC—Of varied character, at times different shades of warm chestnut, splashed white; at others, of a creamy yellow, with chestnut shading; novel.

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235. **DEEGEN**—Deep clear yellow, quite distinct.

236. DR. RAUCH—Orange-red, small and pretty.

237. GOLDEN CANARY—Rich golden yellow, tipped red.

238. HERCULES—Dark lilac-rose, beautifully quilled.

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264. COQUETTE—Rich crimson-red, edged gold, orange at base of petals; pretty.

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266. DARKNESS-Very dark, one of the

best. 267. DOTIOINE—Light red, shading off

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268. DORA—Pale primrose and white, very

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form.
270. DOVE-White, with soft delicate tip

of rosy lilae, in form a perfect ball; smooth and constant.

271. DR. WEBB — Rich searlet, mediumsize flowers.

272. EMOTION—Beantiful Idae.

273. EARNEST — Dark maroon, at times shaded; distinct.

274. E. F. JUNGKER-Of a light salmon-

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302. LITTLE WILLIE—Deep flesh colour. 303. LITTLE MODEL—White, tipped purple.

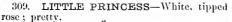
304. LITTLE PHŒBUS — Blush, tipped libre.

305. LYDIA-Golden-yellow, full flower.

306. LITTLE WAG-Blush, belted with puce.

307. LITTLE FRED—Blush, tipped rosy crimson.

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318. MDLLE. VALENTINE FACONET -White, splashed and striped rosy-lake.

319. MURILLO - Deep crimson-maroon, globular.

320. NEMESIS-Rich maroon-erimson, at

times tipped white. 321. NATIONAL-Deep yellow, edged

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332. SAMBO—Rich maroon, shaded black,

333. SERAPH—Buff yellow, tipped bright orange-red.

334. ROSALIE—Primrose, sometimes edged pink : pretty.

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336. RIGOLETTE-Very dark maroon-

RED GAUNTLET-Dark scarlet. 337.

338. SNOWFLAKE—Pure white.

SUNSHINE—Scarlet.

339.SAPPHO-Rich shaded maroon-crimson. 340.

TOBY—Crimson-scarlet, compact habit.

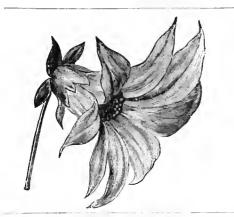
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349. ALBA. syn. WHITE QUEEN—Large

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350. F*†ALEXANDER—Rich purplish magenta, distinctly and evenly edged light rosy lilae, medium size; constant and good.

351. *AURATA—Moderate size, yellow.

352. †AVALANCHE—Pure white, changing to a lovely soft pink; very free and effective. 353r†*ARTHUR RAWLINGS — Striped

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354, **BUFFALO—Pale dun or fawn colour; distinct and free.

355. F*BICOLOR—Rich reddish crimson, with a broad and distinct bright yellow ring; medium size round flowers.

356, †BEAUTY — Deep maroon-crimson, medium size.

357. †BRIDAL WREATH—Flat, full size, pure white flowers, light orange at base of petals.

358. CANARY—Clear yellow, free. 359. *COMET—Deep reddish scarlet, veined and suffused orange and gold; medium size.

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364. FCHAS. LAWS—Buff ground, striped and spotted crimson; distinct. Is.

365.p*CONGO—Distinct shade of orange-red dusted gold, rich colour at base of petals; dwarf and distinct.

366. DOROTHY FELL—Pure white edged, and suffused pink; large.

367. r*DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER—Medium-size, well-formed flowers of the purest white

368, *DIDO—Magenta-rose, paler at the tips, bright yellow zone at base of florets.

369.†*DISTINCTION—Bright reddish buff of distinct shade; good, erect habit.

370. Ft*DOROTHY — Large flowers, white, shaded and striped lilac-pink.

371. *ECLIPSE—Rich scarlet-crimson, of a distinct shade, deep orange at base of petals; free, First-Class Certificate.

372.†*EVENING STAR—Rich maroon, fine shaped flowers. 1s.

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382. *KATE GREEN—Of a distinct shade

of orange; showy and attractive.

383. * LANCER — Rich magenta, shaded purple, beautifully rayed towards centre, reddish crimson and orange, well formed flowers; distinct.

384. LAURA LINDEN — Rich maroon-

crimson; large.

385, P*LITTLE BEAUTY—Beautiful light magenta-rose, yellow and buff at base of petals, small and well shaped: free and pretty.

386.F*LIZZIE HALL—Pale sulphur, edged

white; distinct.

387. LADY DUNGAN — White, shaded

pink. large white ring.

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402. *MRS. MIST—A pleasing shade of rosy-like, orange-crimson at base of petals; distinct.

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409. †PAINTED LADY—Deep pink coloured variety; free and showy.

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411. RUBY—Rich ruby-red, tipped lighter. 412. *ROSE QUEEN — Soft rose, suffused lilac, clear yellow at base of florets; dwarf and

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433. CONSTANCE, OR ARIEL—Raised by Mr. Salter, of Chrysanthemum renown, about the year 1834. Its pure white and elegant-shaped flowers render it valuable for wreaths, crosses, church decoration. &c. It is a good grower and very free bloomer, and during late autumn will even exceed the description here given of this choice and charming flower. Awarded a First-Class Certificate by the Floral Committee. 6d. each; 4s. 6d. doz.

434. EMPRESS OF INDIA—Rich crimson-shaded maroon and magenta, full size flowers, strong habit; distinct. 1s. 6d. each.

435. GENERAL GORDON—Bright scarlet-shaded orange, full-sized flowers, strong bushy habit; distinct and useful. 1s.

436. GLARE OF THE GARDEN (or FIRE KING)—This gem of gems of all the Dahlias for the gardens has the freedom and advantage of producing double the quantity of flowers of any other variety; small, dense, and brilliant are its flowers, with a lovely green foliage, no matter how hot the weather; when every Scarlet Zonal in the garden has succumbed to the rain, this is sure to be in readiness. 9d. ench.

437. GLARE OF THE GARDEN IMPROVED—Very large, showy flowers, of a deep red shade, and a distinct yellow centre, which adds much to its charm; very free and effective. 2s.

438. HENRY PATRICK—Petals slightly recurved and twisted, pure white; said to be a great improvement on Constance. 1s. 6d. each.

439. JUAREZII (Cactus)—Sent out by ns in 1879. A most valuable and useful decorative plant for all purposes through the late summer and autumn months. Its blossoms are of a rich scarlet-crimson, and very much resemble in shape and colour the well-known Cactus, Circus speciosissimus. Height about 4 feet, very bushy flowers of very striking appearance, and quite unlike those of an ordinary double Dahlia, the florets being flat and slightly tipped at the points and not cupped; must be thinned out to get fine flowers. 1s. each; 8s. per dozen.

440. KING OF CACTUS—Very large, broad petals, twisted, of a reddish crimson shade; free. 2s. 6d.

441. LADY BRASSEY—Somewhat near the shape of Juarezii, colour more brilliant red and searlet; very free, a smaller flower, and will most assuredly become a great favourite. 5s.

442. LADY E. DYKE—The flower shown conveys but an inadequate idea of the beauty of this variety. It is a great difficulty for the artist to show the beautiful construction of some flowers; bright yellow; very free growth, and for decoration it is a gem. 2s. 6d. each. Two First-Class Corridores.

443. LADY HUME CAMPBELL—Shape of this is a lovely reflex, each petal shown flat, and of an elegant lace-pointed shape, with a distinct purple in it. 4s.





- 444. LADY KERRISON—Shape similar to engraving, but prettier: of a lovely amber-yellow, with a beautiful picotee edge, quite away from any others of this family. The moment one sets eyes on it, the exclamation is, "I have never seen one like this before; it must certainly become a favourite." 3s.
- 445 LADY M. MARSHAM—A lovely salmen colour, quite different to any other Dahlia, twisted and curled exactly like *Juarezii*; eentre petals an exquisite star shape, large bold flowers, very free, and most beautiful and distinct. 2s. 6d.
- 446. LADY THOMPSON—By many thought to be the best colour, cerise-searlet; each petal edged with a distinct purple; lovely reflexed shape; very dwarf and free. 4s.
- 447. LORD LYNDHURST—Or (more correctly speaking) a "Searlet Constance." In both growth and shape of flower nearly identical with the useful White Constance; colour a lovely reddish searlet, most abundant bloomer, and is certainly the most useful Dahlia for cutting purposes ever sent out, and will grow in any poor soil. 9d.
- 448. MISS BEADON—Buff, shaded red, deeper centre, line large flowers, petals well reflexed, dwarf, bushy habit. 1s.
- 449. MISS SHERRIFF—Soft orange-salmon, centre rosy lilac, medium-size, well-formed flowers; neat habit. 1s.
- 450. MISS SELBY—Of a pleasing shade of magenta; fine open flowers; dwarf and bushy. 4s. 451. MR. A. W. TAIT—A great novelty from Oporto (Portugal). Most peculiar and pretty, and is another of the forms reminding one somewhat of Juarezii; it is different to Constance in its

and is another of the forms reminding one somewhat of Juarezu; it is different to Constance in its secreted in-Dahlia like form and appearance, and must become a general favorite for cut flowers in every household, for which it is admirably adapted. Further, it does not require rich soil and preparation, but will grow almost everywhere. After April, 1s.

45) MPC HAWKING From along poor holds with out

- 452. MRS. HAWKINS Free, close neat habit, rich sulphur colour, shading off towards the tips of the petuls to a Fighter shade, and slightly tinted soft red; distinct. 1s. each.
- 453. OUR LEADER-Very rich crimson, centre petals twisted in a most curious manner, and marked down centre of petals rich yellow; bright yellow centre. 2s. 6d.
- 454. PICTA FORMOSISSIMA—Colonr orange, bright scarlet stripes; everybody's flower. This was the first double-striped variety of some 50 years ago, hence it is called the Grand Old Dahlia. 9d.
- 455. PRINCE ALBERT VICTOR—Beautiful rich erimson-red, shaded orange, long narrow petals; good bushy habit; very distinct. 3s.
- 456. PRINCE ALEXANDER—Buff ground, striped and splashed crimson, shaded orange in centre; reflexed flowers, full size. 2s. 6d.
- 457. PRINCE OF WALES—Fine noble flowers, of a rich orange-red shade, broad twisted petals, very showy. 4s.
 - 458. WM. PEARCE-Rich yellow; a nseful variety. 1s. 6d.
- 459. WILLIAM T. ABERY—The most lovely coloured decorative Dahlia we have ever seen. For cut flowers a gem, and great value for market. One could hardly refuse to purchase it, and must certainly admire it. Its brilliant red border to each petal, on a pure snowy-white ground, renders it so very attractive; small grower, but one of the most captivating flowers of all this family. 3s. 6d. each.
- 460. **FASCINATION**—No Dablia at the large Show at the Inventions Exhibition attracted more admirers than this, and for all garden and house decoration it is a splendid fancy double variety. Colour, a lovely bright rose, with a pure broad white stripe down each petal, which renders it a general favourite with all at first sight, no matter where; it is pronounced as having an artificial appearance. Plants, 9d. each.
- 461. FLORET DAHLIA—A very curious variety, and called the Floret Dahlia, and may be called the Tripte Dahlia; every petal or quill is filled with another petal, as the engraving shows. 4s.

Mr. EVERETT WARD, 61. New Town, Ashford, Kent. October 31st, 1887. Received Bulbs quite safe, and was very pleased with them.

Miss Cameron, Rockville, Oban, N.B., October 28th, 1887.

Plants all safe and as fresh as out of the garden; very many thanks for packing them so beautifully.

Robt, Pirson, Friefin Barnet, Whetstone, June 24th, 1887.

Plants arrived quite cafely and in fine order. I thank you much for your care and promptitude.



WHITE CACIUS DAHLIA, MR. TAIT.

[&]quot;Miscellaneous subjects were a great feature in connection with the display at the Aquarium Messrs. Cannell & Sons had a lunge bank of flowers, consisting of dahlias in every form, including several new varieties, which received First-Class Certificates,"—Faily Chronicle, Thursday, 15th September, 1887.



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462. GERMANIA NOVA—Certainly the most un-Dahlia-like and a beautiful variety, quite as much so as the true Juacczii. No one can look on it without admiring its most striking and attractive shape and lovely manve-rose colour. It really belongs to the Pompon class; it is the favourite of all who have seen it, and will unquestionably give us an entirely new and beautiful shape; invaluable for all purposes. Awarded a First-Class Certificate. 1s.

463. MONT BLANC—The largest Dahlia ever seen. Pure pearly white, free, dwarf grower for church and other decoration it is of great value, and the grandest object of all Dahlias in the

garden.

464. PARROT-Petals somewhat twisted, and are of an intense orange-scarlet colour, bright

orange centre; very free and effective; useful for cutting purposes. 1s.

465. THE BLACK AND WHITE DAHLIA, MR. MILLER—Although we do not give an engraving, it is the most showy of all; small, neatly-made flowers, grand colour, intensely dark, with a pure white blotch on each petal, which renders it most attractive and beautiful, and for cut-flowers a gem. 1s. 6d.

466. VIRIDIFLORA-Pure self green-flowered Dublia. The flowers are Pompon size, double

and full petalled.

467. BIDENS ATROSANGUINEA (known as *Black Dahlia Zimpani*)—Very like a Dahlia; flowers small, and of a deep rich maroon, almost black; dwarf and free.

468. GLABRATUM (Species)—Producing small lilac blossoms with a yellow centre: a gem for

cutting purposes, and possessing beautiful fern-like cut foliage.

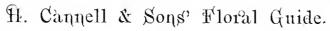
469. MERCKII (Species)—Producing larger flowers than the above, but of a pure white; useful

Mr. John Duncan. Thornbank, Pollokshields, Glasgow, July 25th, 1887. The plants just received in excellent order. Thanks for your attention.

Mr. E. BATCHELOR, Gardener, The Lodge, Hazelwood, Church Road, Upper Norwood. All the plants arrived in splendid condition, although being four days on the road.



PRINCE OF WALES.

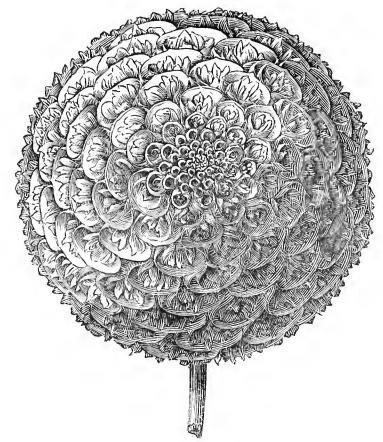








LADY M. MARSHAM. (121)



TRIPLE DAHLIA.

DAISIES (BEL'LIS).

THE BEST BEDDING.



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EW persons—gardeners in particular—have the slightest idea of the effect these have (when planted in lines like other plants) and their easy management, or they would fill their beds every autuma, and so have a grand display, equally as satisfactory, and with half the trouble, as the ordinary summer plants. With these, and a few Violas and Primroses, every lawn can be made gay and beautiful all the early spring and surmer months.

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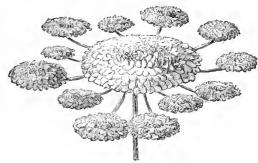
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fine bedder	•••	•••	*	100	•••		***	2	0	10	()	
ROB ROY-Quilled; intense red			111	***	•••	•••	1**	2	6	10	()	
LITTLE PET-Small, pure white;	very	pretty	•••	1	•••	•••	***	5	0	20	0	
THE BRIDE-Pure white, very de	mble :	extra:	fine			• • •		2	0	10	()	

HEN AND CHICKENS—Another of the old curiosities, and seldom seen, though highly interesting, the peculiar growth of which the accompanying engraving correctly illustrates. 9d. each; 7s. per dozen.

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AUCUBÆFOLIA—Crimson, 4s. per dozen; 6d. cach.

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DOUBLE AND SINGLE-FLOWERED.

THIS family is perhaps the noblest of all the hardy plants. Few have seen the named kinds, those who have not cannot form the slightest conception of their splendom. We have often been amazed at the intensity of their colours, and spikes of flowers averaging from one to two feet long. They should be in every garden, for if once planted beautiful flowers of all shades of blue may be cut four months in the year.

Those marked † double and semi-double flowers.

Strong clumps from Ground, 1s. 6d, each of varieties marked *.

- 1. ADMIRATION—Rich rosy lilac, blotched and striped brilliant blue, white centre, flowers large; habit vigorous, extra fine. 2s.
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- AMABILIS Azure-blue, changing to rosy like, white and crange centre, flower spike 18 inches long, large, single, fine habit; distinct, 2s.
- 4. *AMPHITRITE -- Fine spike, bright blue, lilac-manye in centre; pretty. ts.
- 5. ATTRACTION Bright violet-blue, blotched dark reddish libre, white centre, flowers large: fine. 2s.

- †ALOPECUROIDES—Rich blue, veined bronzy red, stems well furnished, perfect habit; double, 1s.
- 7. †ALPHONSE CLEMANT Without doubt one of the most striking and prettiest varieties in cultivation, beautiful clear rich blue, centre petals tipped rose, white centre striped rose, semi-double, producing grand spikes; good habit, 3s.
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- 9, †BRITANNICUS—Beantiful resy libae, edged bright clear blue, flowers very double and finely formed; a distinct and very pretty variety, 2s.

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10. †BARLOWII—Dark blue, shaded bronzy red, velvety brown and orange centre, flowers large; semi-double. 2s.

BICOLOR—Bright blue, white centre,

flower spikes freely branched. 1s. 6d. 12. CANTAB — Pale blue, white centre, flowers large; the best single light blue. 1s. 6d. CARPEAUX — Bluish brouze, tinted

yellow, in centre of petals; extra. 2s. CASHMERIANUM - Producing light

blue flowers, 1s. each.

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white centre; fine. 1s. 6d.

 CHARMER—Deep blue, edged and suffused crimson, yellow and white centre: free. 1s.

- 16. †CHAMELEON—Centre petals shining rosy lilae, outer petals light blue, deep brown centre, semi-donble flowers, vigorons; fine. ,2s.
- 17. CONSPICUA Beautiful light blue, orange and black centre, flowers large; fine and distinct. 1s.

18. CORONET-Dark blue, purple and

orange centre; dwarf. 1s. 6d.

19. †DICK SANDS—Deep plum-purple, suffused pink, deep blue towards centre of flowers. centre petals slightly tipped white, semi-double, large and fine ; free and distinct. 2s.

20. DISTINCTION — Deep blue, white

centre. 1s.

21. ELATUM (Bee Larkspur)—A very scarce plant, the true form having long spikes of bright blue flowers, the centre having the resemblance of the form of a bee. 1s. 6d.

22. ENCHANTRESS—Delicate lavenderblue, tinted bright rosy libe, white centre, flower

large, vigorous habit; distinct. 2s.

 †EXQUISITE — Brilliant cobalt-blue, tinted rosy lilac, flowers semi-double, foliage ample, vigorous habit; extra fine. 2s.

24. FORMOSUM—Rich dark blue, tinged

purple, white centre, flowers large. 1s.

- 25. FORMOSUM BELLADONNA-Bright azure-blue, white centre, flowers large, habit neat and compact; desirable for clumps. 1s.
- 26. †GÉNÉRAL GRAHAM-Flowers very double, rosy centre, outer petalstipped lilac. 2s.6d.
- 27. †GÉORGES OHNET Semi-double, outer petals rich blue, inner petals rosy bronze, orange and brown centre. 1s.

28. †GEORGE WILSON—Outer petals light blne, inner petals rosy lilac, orange and white

centre, semi-double, pretty. 1s. 6d. 29.†*GERVAIS ROMAIN—Beautiful light

blue, tipped pink, large double flowers; fine. 1s. 30. †GLOBE—Pale lavender, very double, 1s.

31. GLOIRE DE ST. MANDE-Brilliant blue, edge of petals suffused with crimson, velvety brown centre, flowers extra large; effective. 1s.6d.

32. GRANDIFLORUM—Lavender, tinted

rose, white centre, single. 1s.

33.†*HAMLET - Outer petals bright deep blue, inner petals deep violet, suffused pink, light centre, semi-double; large and fine. 1s.

34.†HERMANN STENGER-Outer petals violet-blue, centre petals rosy pink, flowers large and very double; distinct. Is. 6d.

35. †HEROINE-Light rosy lilac, blotched with light blue, brown centre, large flowers and semi-double; habit vigorous. $2s_i$

HYBRIDUM—Fine flowers of a clear 36.

blue.

- 37. †IMPERIALIS—Bright rosy lilac, tipped bright blue, centre white, flowers large, semidouble, a very effective variety; extra fine. 2s.
- 38. †IMBRICATUM CŒLESTI PLENUM -Semi-double, bright blue, slightly shaded rose, medium size, dark brown centre, large spike. 1s.
- 39. †JULES BOURGEOISE—Cobalt-blue, suffused with pink, orange and brown centre, medium size flowers, but very double. 1s.
- LA BELLE ALLIANCE Bright violet-blue, white and orange centre, flowers large; extra fine. 1s. 6d.
- 41. †LA ROMANCHE—Light violet, flowers very double. 2s.
- 42. LAVENDER Rich lavender-blue, white centre. 1s.
- 43. †LOUIS FIGUIER-Rosy violet and blue; large semi-double flowers; extra fine. 1s. 6d.
- 44. †*LAMARTINE A beautiful double variety, rosy lilac, broadly margined bright blue; free and distinct. 1s.
- 45.†*LEON DUBOIS—A most beautiful variety, rich rosy violet and blue, large double flowers. Received a First-Class Certificate. 1s.

46. †MADAME A. ETIENNE — Semidouble, flowers large, clear violet. 1s.

47. †MADAME LEGROS — Bright blue. suffused with rosy lilac, semi-double. 1s. 6d.

48. MADAME PIERRE JOIGNEAUX-One of the finest varieties and should be in every collection; flowers very large and evenly placed on long branching stems, bright cobalt blue, suffused and edged pink, orange and white centre.

49. MADAME RICHALET—Cobalt-blue, tipped resy violet, light centre. 1s. 6d.

50. † MOZART-Light mauve, tipped light blue and rose, flowers medium size and very double; good habit. -1s.

51. MADAME CHATE—Beautiful sky-blue colour, white centre, flowers large and produced freely; babit vigorous; one of the prettiest and best. 1s. 6d.

†MADAME E. GENY—Reddish purple, tipped blue, centre blue and white, flowers large

and double. 2s.

 MADAME GUICHARD—Dark blue, shaded bronzy purple, distinct white centre; large, very effective. 1s. 6d.

54. †*MADAME H. JACOTOT—Azure-blue, tinted rosy pink, medium-size flowers, distinct and beautiful; double. 1s.

55. †MADAME ROUILLARD—Pale lilac. edged silvery blue, semi-double; good habit. 1s.

56. †MADAME WM. SCHWABE—Violetblue, tinted reddish lilae, deep velvety eentre, semi-double flowers. 1s. 6d.

57. MAGNIFICUM—Brilliant blue, tinted bronzy red, white and orange centre, abundant

bloomer. 1s.

58. †MARIE MOREL—Outer petals azurreblue, centre petals rosy pink, flowers medium size, semi-double. 1s.

59. MISS CLARA BURTON — Metallic

blue; fine. 2s

60. M. BARRAL—Deep blue, tipped and shaded crimson, deep brown centre; large, fine spike. 1s. 6d.

61. †M. LE BIHAN—Outer petals bright blue, inner petals rosy purple, flowers large and semi-double, fine foliage. 1s.

62. †MONUMENT—Semi-double, very large

and fine; light blue and rose. 2s.

63. MRS. GERARD LEIGH-Light blue.

white centre. 4s.

- 64. NAHAMAH—Dark blue, tinted brouzy crimson, centre orange and brown, flowers large, very free. 4s.
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 - 68. POMPON DE TIRLEMONT. 1s. 6d.
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71. †PAUL ET VIRGINIE—Outer petals bright blue, centre petals bronzy red, edged white, flowers double, medium size. 2s.

72. †PHŒNIX—Centre petals purplish red. outer petals bright violet-blue, brown centre, flowers large and semi-double; fine. 2s.

73. †POMPON BRILLIANT—Rich violetblue, reddish lilae centre, flowers very double.

74. †PRINCE OF WALES—Azure-blue, white centre, flowers double and effective. 1s. 6d.

- 75. PULCHERRIMUM—Rich blue, orange and white centre, flowers large, single; distinct, 2s.
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- 79. *SPHERE—Outer petals light clear blue, centre petals rosy libe, white centre, fine large spike: pretty and distinct. Is.
- 80. SPECTABILIS—Dark velvety reddish lilae, tinted purple, dark brown centre, flowers large. 2s.
- 81. SPLENDISSIMUM—Azure-blue, clear white centre. 1s. 6d.
- 83. †TRIOMPHE DE POISSY Azureblue, suffused with pink, semi-double. 1s. 6d.
- 84. TRIOMPHE DE PONTOISE—Azureblue, suffused with pink; a very pretty variety. 1s. 6d.
- 85. †THIERS—Semi-double, clearazure-blue, suffused rose, centre white, striped light purple; free and showy. 1s.
- 86. **ULYSSE**—Light clear azure-blue, cream-coloured centre. 1s.
- 87. †VICTORY Rich violet-blue, striped reddish lilae, white centre, flowers medium size and very double. 2s.
- 88. WATTEAU—Clear lilac, shaded bronze, eentre of petals rose. 2s.
- 89. *WHEELERI—Dark blue, bronze centre, very vigorous; very desirable for planting in shrubberies. 1s.

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- 19. PACHYPHYTUM BRACTEOSUM—Very peculiar; the noblest and prettiest of this family. 1s.

Fu'chsias.

THE BEST DARK VARIETIES.

IT is surprising what beautiful kinds, when well grown, there are in this list, which embraces all the best in cultivation; and the descriptions will be found correct. Our 100-feet house, filled with the entire family from their lirst introduction, is a grand sight all through the summer and autumn at Swanley.

1. DUKE OF ALBANY—Bright red tube and sepals, rich purplish red corolla; bushy habit; blooms very freely in small pots.

2. HARRY BROOKS—Bright red tube and sepals, plum-coloured corolla; good habit; fine

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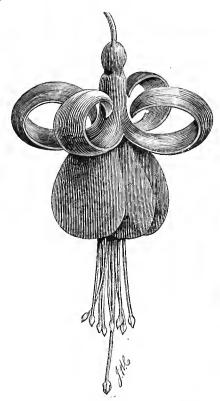
3. MR. KING—Rich crimson-scarlet tube, and sepals soft coral red, corolla rich deep purple; fine habit; very free, medium size, well-formed flowers.

1. GENERAL ROBERTS — Remarkably beautiful variety, of drooping habit, and will make a splendid (dark) companion to the well-known Mrs. Marshall. The bioons are 4 inches in length, and are borne in large clusters; corolla a rich plum colour, tube and sepals crimson. See engraving. 4s. each.

7. PRESIDENT—Free habit and of good form, flowers remarkable for their splendid substance, sepals well recurved, and tube of bright

vermilion, corolla finely formed, and of a very rich violet.

- 8. LORD FALMOUTH—Tube and sepals carmine-scarlet, corolla rich viole -blue, thowers of perfect shape, free bloomer; one of the best for exhibition.
- 9. REV. T. WILTSHIRE—One *of the boldest and best shaped flowers in the *Lord Eleko* or bright blue corolla class.
- 10. GENERAL GARFIELD—Rich crimson sepals, very broad and well relieved, corolla carmine, shaded blue.
- 1!. CROWN PRINCE OF PRUSSIA—A most beautiful Fuchsia; dark tube and sepals, the latter are very broad, leathery in substance, intense scarlet; violet-blue corolla.
- 12. RESPLENDENT—One of the most perfect Fuchsias in the way of *Lord Eleha*; hubit strong and vigorous.



MR. KING.

13. ENOCH ARDEN—Corolla opening rich indigo-blue, sometimes beautifully flaked with light red, and when fully expanded changing to a reddish violet; a fine variety.

MR. F. GLASS - Deep crimson tabe and sepals, purple-maroon corolla; medium size. 1s.

JAMES WELCH—Bright rosy-red tube and sepals, pale maroon corolla; graceful. 1s.

BULGARIE - Purple corolla, crimson tube and sepals: very free. 1s.

COL. BORGNIS-DESBORDES — Sepals

rosy red, corolla purple. – 1s. EMPEROR - Bright red tube and sepals, maroon corolla shaded purple; useful for pillars

GEN. GORDON - Red tube and sepals, plum-coloured corolla; good haldt. 1s.

and baskets. 1s.

SCARCITY—One of the most useful dark varieties.

14. MARIE AUBIN-A pretty and distinct

new variety; very free.
15. BEAUTY OF KENT—One of the prettiest dark Fuelisias imaginable.

16. LORD ELCHO-Fine bold flower, and

if well grown very fine.

17. WAR EAGLE—Large corolla, shaded with crimson; good bold flower.

18. TRY ME, O!—One of the best for any purpose.

 DR. HESSEL—Tube and sepals intense deep carmine.

20. SPITFIRE—Sepals bright searlet-red, corolla well-formed, of a deep magenta; very showy and distinct.

21. ALFONSO-Fine flower, rich crimson tube and sepals, and fine substance; corolla deep

22. GAZELLE—One of the best habited dark varieties for exhibition.

24. LYE'S RIVAL—Red tube and sepals,

rich violet-purple corolla; effective.
25. SIR BARTLE FRERE—Tube and sepals carmine, the latter beautifully reflexed; corolla very large.

26. M. LAUTH-Large compact flowers, handsome round plum-corolla, often striped with rose; well reflexed, of a bright carmine colonr.

27. MR. J. HUNTLEY-Fine robust habit a very showy dark variety.

28. CHARMING—A very showy and effective variety; free and dwarf.

 SYMMETRY — Tube and sepals deep reddish crimson, broad and well reflexed.

30. WAVE OF LIFE—High coloured flowers; beautiful golden colonred leaves; rich searlet tube and sepals, bright violet-blue corolla; dwarf.

31. IMPROVEMENT—Brilliant vermilion sepals, tube glossy carmine, sepals gracefully recurved.

32. INIMITABLE—Scarlet tube with broad, finely reflexed sepals, and deep violet corolla.

33. LORD BYRON—Tube and sepals

bright crimson, with large, open, bell-shaped, black corolla; fine habit, with sepals finely recurved.

34. LUCREZIA BORGIA-A fine large flower, nicely striped corolla.

35. ABD-EL-KADER—Flowers large and well produced; a very showy variety.

36. DE MIRBEL-Bright red sepals, well reflexed, rose and violet corolla.

FLEUVE-ROUGE—A free and effective variety, corolla violet, sepals deep red.

Young plants of all those not priced, Gd. each; larger, 1s. each.

Mr. Alex. Murriead, Winsford, Highampton, July 1st, 1887.

I am pleased to say the Geraniums, Fuchsias, Petunias, Begonias, Reliotropes, &c., we had last have done remarkably well. They could not be much better grown, and the bleoms on them are wonderful



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Fuchsias with white tubes and sepals, and scarlet or pink corollas.

BEAUTY OF LAVINGTON—Bright rosy cormine corolla, white tube and sepals. 1s.

EMILY BRIGHT—Creamy white tube and sepals, bright earmine corolla; fine form. 1s.

LUSTRE IMPROVED—It must now be hard on ten years ago since Lustre was sent out, and, in consequence of its intense orange-scarlet corolla, has been a favourite ever since. The one now offered is a seedling and in all respects better; corolla larger, bolder, and more intense; habit all that can be desired, and is a lovely Fuchsia. 9d.

LYE'S PERFECTION—Creamy white tube and sepals, bright carmine corolla. 1s.

MR. F. BRIGHT—Deep rosy pink tube and sepals, corolla rose, edged blue purple. 1s.

NELLIE-Creamy tube and sepals, corolla

sulfused manve; distinct. 1s.

DIADEM—Delicate blush tube and sepals, pale magenta corolla, edged carmine; useful for buskets. 1s.

MRS. F. GLASS—White tube and sepals, deep pink corolla, tinted violet. 1s.

37. BEAUTY OF TROWBRIDGE — A splendid light variety, and probably the best in

38. WHITE SOUVENIR DE CHISWICK—Showy light Fucbsia, and somewbat resembles the dark variety of this name. Pure white tube and sepals, the latter long and very boldly and beautifully reflexed; corolla bright rose-pink and cup-shaped; habit of growth strong. For decoration all that can be desired. 1s.

39. BEAUTY OF SWANLEY—One of the

prettiest light Fuelsias sent out.

40. MRS. GROTE—Λ very fine variety, useful for baskets.

41. BEAUTY OF CLYFFE HALL—Sepals and corolla of the finest texture, tube and sepals blush white, corolla rich carmine-pink; free.

42. HARRIET LYE—Creamy-white tube and sepals, lilae-pink corolla, edged carmine.

43. COVENT GARDEN WHITE— Equally valuable in the white tube and scepal section, superseding the well-known Arabella and Mrs. Lye; the best for market and decoration. Is.

44. MRS. BRIGHT-A very useful and

distinct light variety.

45. ETHEL—Fine flowers, which are remarkable on account of the length of tube; both tube and sepals are of pure white, and the corolla rosy violet. 1s.

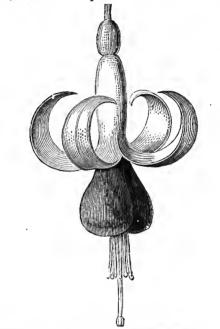
46. GRAND DUCHESSE MARIE—Strong grower and a fine decorative variety.

47. DUCHESS OF ALBANY—Extra free flowering, good for any purpose.

48. BLUSHING BRIDE—White tube and

sepals, lake-scarlet corolla; very free, and one of the best.

49. LETTY LYE—Also a strong grower and very useful.



50. ROYAL OSBORN—Tube and sepals well formed and pearly white, corolla deep rose, 1s.

51. MINNIE BANKS—One of the most distinct Fuchsias; fine habit, very free, and one of the best for my purpose.

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52. GUIDING STAR—Said to be the most
perfect variety in cultivation.

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53. PRINCESS BEATRICE—An exceedingly pretty variety, tube and sepals wmxy white, with a very pleasing, delicate, but bright pink corolla.

54. MARGINATA—Corolla pink, regularly margined with scarlet, good grower, and a splendid labit; free bloomer, and one of the best for exhibition.

55. ROSE OF DENMARK—Corolla light pink, margined with rose; habit rather strong, but blooms very freely at the points, being distinct from the other light varieties.

56. ROSA BONHEUR—Blush-white tube, sepals well recurved, corolla rich rese, shaded

carmine; free, erect habit.

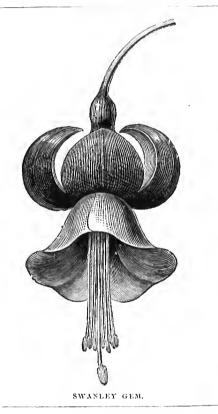
57. ANNIE—Fine large flower, and n good grower; one of the best for dreoping or hanging purposes 1s. 6d.

58. ENGLAND'S GLORY—Fine blooms, great substance, strong grower; one of the best. 1s.

59. MIZPAH—Corolla rich violet-crimson; very effective. 9d.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each.

Fuchsias with scarlet tubes and sepals, and rose and mauve-lavender coloured corollas.



- 60. SWANLEY GEM—Frilled shape of flowers, and its freedom of blooming and splendid habit, will ultimately make it a great favourite. Tube and sepals coral-scarlet, the latter very prettily reflexed; beautiful rose coloured corolla. ls. 6d.
- 61. THE RIGHT HON. J. BRIGHT—Lavender corolla, strong in growth, but bushy in habit; tube and sepals bright scarlet; the latter is perfectly reflexed; corolla forms a perfect outline.
- 62. KING OF THE FUCHSIAS—Immense substance in both the epals and corolla; fine grower, and for decoration one of the very best. 1s.
- 63. FATHER IGNATIUS—Corolla beautifully cup-shaped, colour indigo-blue, occasionally striped with rose, foliage small, habit bushy, short jointed; a free bloomer.
- 64. RHODERICK DHU—Corolla blue, very large, opening out à la crinoline; habit beautiful, and a free bloomer.
- 65. DISPLAY—Corolla deep rose, sepals bright red; very free and showy.
- 66. JULES FERRY—Of perfect form, violet, mottled white; a pretty and effective variety. 1s. each.
- 67. GRACIEUX—Medium-size flowers, clear mauve-layender corolla: free. 1s.
- 68. ARLEQUIN—Rosy carmine, edged violet; dwarf and free.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each.

Fuchsias with white tubes and sepals, and purple corollas.

LADY HEYTESBURY IMPROVED—Lady Heytesbury is one of the most popular, and is grown and sold by thousands; but as the above is a seedling, and an improvement on that variety, both in liabit and flower, and more attractive in colour, it surely must sell, and be hailed with pleasare by all growers. 9d.

* 69. PRINCE ALFRED—Splendid Fuchsia, a most profuse bloomer, a strong grower (must be well stopped when young), and one of the very best for any purpose.

70. LADY HEYTESBURY-First-class Fuchsia; decidedly one of the best.

Fuchsias with scarlet tube and sepals, and satiny-coloured corollas.

- 71. MR. RICHARD PEXTON—Fine pyramidal growth, and is in every way a very fine Fuchsia. 1s.
- 72. THE LORD WARDEN—A first-rate variety; corolla very distinct colour. 1s.
- 73. TULIP—Crimson tube and sepals, large and expanded, tulip-shaped corolla, rich purple.

Mr. Reynolds, Rose Mount Lodge, Maidstone, Sept. 13th, 1887. I am pleased to tell you the plants we had from you have done remarkably well, as they always do.

Self-Coloured Section.

The last few years the following large and otherwise very interesting Fuchsias have been raised, and although their sepals and corollas are similar in colour, they are of a robust habit, free growing, and exceedingly showy.

74, ABEL CARRIERE—A fine and distinct self-coloured variety. This variety in France is

grown largely for the Paris markets.

75. DR. SANKEY (Sankey)—Splendid variety, robust grower, dark-glossy foliage, large and long pendulous blooms of the richest ruby-red and crimson shades. 1s. and 1s. 6d.

76. FIREWORKS—Of a striking dark ruby-red; a free blooming and attractive variety.

77. SEDAN—Nearly a self-coloured flower. The colour of the corolla is remarkably attractive. It is a short, thick-set variety, blooming very freely, and possessing a beautiful habit. It has become quite a favourite, especially for market purposes.

78. **DEUTSCHER KAISER**—Double variety; tube and sepals rosy-crimson; corolla full and very double; a good market Fuchsia.

79. MONARCH—Immense flowers; tube and sepals bright red, and of great length.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each.

FUCHSIAS, YELLOW.

Varieties possessing coloured flowers of orange-yellow.

80. AURORA SUPERBA—Tube and sepals rich salmon, latter broad and well reflexed, corolla large, spreading, and very even, of distinct orange-scarlet, highly suffused with yellow; fine habit, free bloomer; distinct.

81. EARL OF BEACONSFIELD—One of the very best for sale and decoration, flowers neither good shape nor colour, but produced in very large clusters and blooms nearly all the year,

if allowed plenty of root room.

82. MR. RÜNDELL—Similar to the well-known variety, Lord Beaconsfield (whose individual flowers are common and ill-shaped), beautifully shaped llower, the bold quick growth of its parent, with even more freedom of flowering; for general decoration it is a capital variety.

83. MRS, RUNDELL—A seedling from the Earl of Beaconsfield. A most graceful variety.

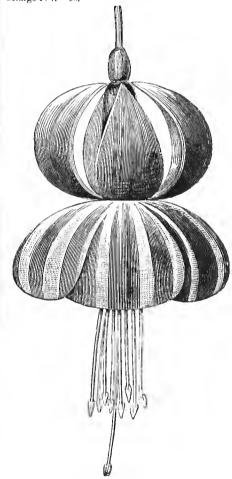
Received a First-Class Certificate.

84. MADAME AUBIN—Beautiful strong habit, large fine flowers.

85. CONDORCET—Tube and sepals white, shaded rose, corolla soft orange red.

86. BERQUIN—Schals reddish orange. corolla bright rosy lake, tube long; distinct.

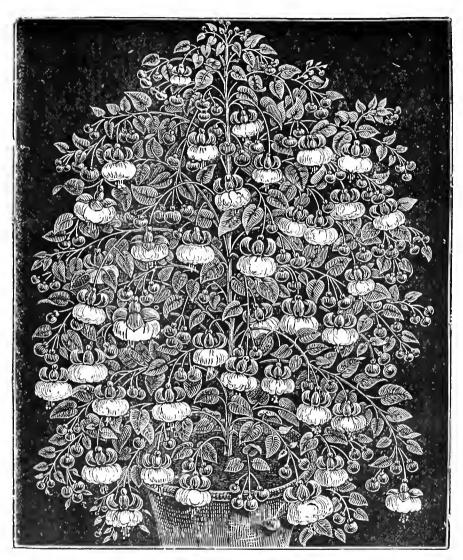
87. IXION - Good strong habit, corolla orange red. 1s.



LORD WOLSELEY.

A. C. RARCOURT, Esq., Lewisham Road, S.E., August 20th, 1887.

It is over four years since I first came to your nurseries and bought a large assortment of flowering plants, including your Single and Double Zonal Pelargoniums, and I must say they are the best I have ever seen, some of the bloom measuring 2\frac{1}{2} inches across, and trusses immense in size. Many friends have been to see them, and could scarcelly believe it possible. The Doubles especially are simply lovely. I wonder more private people don't grow them. I have never seen the like at any nursery, and I have been to all the largest and best within 20 miles of London. Also your Lyy Leaf Pelargoniums are the best and largest assortment I have ever seen.



BERLINER KIND. (See DOUBLE FUCUSIAS.)

The twelve varieties of Fuchsias that took the First Prize at the Royal Eotanic Gardens, Regent's Park, and at the International Horticultural Exhibition, for 8s., package included Also the twelve best varieties out for exhibition for 12s.

Striped Section.

LORD WOLSELEY—Well expanded corolla, of a soft rosy crimson, veined red and margined bluish purple, broad reflexed sepals of a deep red colour, fine large flowers; good habit, free and constant. 1s, 6d.

89. CRITERION-Pale rose, striped deep manve, tube and sepals crimson-scarlet; distinct.

90. BLAND'S NEW STRIPED-Tube and sepals dark and glowing scarlet, former very short, eorolla rich plum-coloured purple, regular and distinctly striped red and rose, pyramidal

shape; habit strong. 1s.
91. STRIATA SPLENDIDA — The mest regularly shaped Fuehsia yet sent out: fine habit and a most abundant bloomer; dark scarlet tube, and sepals perfectly reflexed; corolla plumcolonred purple, striped with red.

92. KING OF THE STRIPES—A very

nice Fuchsia, distinctly striped with red, violet-blue; corolla very free blooming; vigorous

habit.

White striped varieties.

93. STRIATA PERFECTA—Corolla perfeetly distinct; very free bloomer; tube and sepals waxy white, the latter broad and well recurved; corolla bright carmine-scarlet, and each petal distinctly striped, particularly on the inside.

 M. LOMBARD—Light Filac, margined and striped white, medium size flowers; this variety, like many more of the striped varieties, comes occasionally a pure white, but, nevertheless, it is quite a new and distinct colour in this class. 1s.

Single white corollas and scarlet tubes and sepals.

95. FLOCON DE NEIGE — Corolla large and well formed, white, sepals clear carmine.

TOURNEFORT—White corolla, striped

red, hrilliant red sepals.

97. CANNELL'S GEM-The prettiest and most perfect white single corolla Fuchsia; habit very dwarf; foliage small and green; free bloomer; tube and sepals glowing red, well reflexed; corolla cup shape. The nearest approach in this class to the best dark varieties.

98. MRS. MEIN—Tube and sepals bright erimson-scarlet, well reflexed, perfect shape.

99. **DELIGHT**—Corolla pure white; tube and sepals bright crimson; cerolla large and bellshaped.

 MRS. E. BENNETT—Mest abundant blooming single white corolla kind, and certainly one of the best for exhibition sent out.

Doubles, with white corollas and scarlet tube and sepals.

101. MADAME JULES CHRÉTIEN-One of the finest white varieties yet introduced; same good shape and form as Ars. II. Cannell, but much earlier and dwarfer; extra fine. 1s.

 LE CYGNE—Habit one of the dwarfest and most graceful among the Double White Fuchsias.

103. PENELOPE—Another good and useful variety in this class, corolla of fine form, large and long. 1s.

104. GUSTAVE DORÉ — Medium size flowers, but produced very freely; sepals well reflexed; very effective.

COL. DOMINÉ - Tube and sepals rosy lake, corolla very large and double; white; fine flower 1s.

105. JEANNE D'ARC - Schals crimson, corolla pure white, of fine form.

106. BERLINER KIND — As free and as beautiful as Miss L. Finns, but possessing a better and much stronger labit.

107. FRAU EMMA TOPFER-Quite a distinct and novel variety, tube and sepals rosy coral colour, corolla clear rosy blush, flowers large and double; remarkably pretty in its growth and character, although it looks quite reversed. 1s.

NELLIE MORTON—A seedling from Lucy Finnis, almost the same habit of growth, colour, and shape, except that it has fewer and broader snow-like petals: free.

BELLE NORMANDE—Corolla pure white, sepals resy red.

109. KINGSBURYANA—Remarkable for its fine vigorous growth and large showy flowers; its corolla is particularly novel and beautiful. 1s.

110. MISS LUCY FINNIS—Corolla pure white, very double and immense size; tube and sepals coral red; very free.

111. ARTABAN -- Sepals bright rese. corolla white, slightly veined rese.

112. LAMENNAIS—Corolla very double, pure white, rosy carmine sepals; dwarf and free,

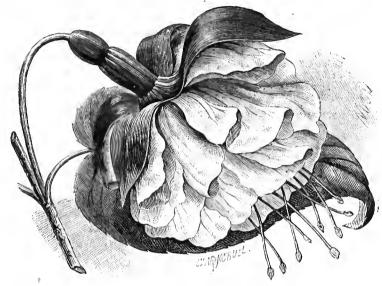
114. ULYSSE-Pure white, sepals bright carmine.

115. MRS. H. CANNELL-One of the greatest lifts in bringing the double white corolla to perfection, and equal to the darker kinds; very late.

116. MINSTREL - Bright resy crimson tube and sepals, corolla full and double, ivory-white. striped rose at base.

118. ELIZABETH MARSHALL-One of the freest bloomers in this class; grand for market.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger 1s. each.



FRAU EMMA TOPFER.

Doubles, light rosy red sepals and beautiful soft manne corollas.

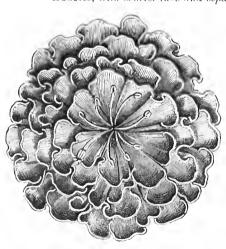
119. AUG. FLAMENG-Dwarf and free, corolla large purplish violet.

120. DE MONTALIVET-Flowers small but very double, light blue corolla, marked with carmine.

121. LA NATION-A fine decorative variety.

122. INDO-CHINE—Semi-double, corolla clear rosy lilac, sepals red; bushy habit,

Doubles, with scarlet tube and sepals, and dark purple and blue corollas.



123. **PHENOMENAL**—Producing fine large flowers; distinct. Is

124. CHAMPION OF THE WORLD—Tubes short; sepals very broad and of great substance, well reflexed, of a beautiful coral-red; the foot-stalk of each bloom is of unusual length and strength. Corolla of immense size, and as it expands forms two-thirds of a perfect ball. Colour of the most intense bright dark purple. Free, tall grower, and for conservatory decoration is one of the most remarkable Fuchsias for size ever yet sent out.

125. SIR GARNET WOLSELEY—A large and magnificent flower. -1s.

126. DÉPUTÉ BERLET - Flowers full and globular, reddish violet; very free and fine.
127. D'ORBIGNY---Reflexed sepals, bright

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128. ADOLPHE LEGOUR—Sepals large and well reflexed, corolla violet-rese.

129. M. THIBAUT—Rosy vermilion corolla, sepals deep red.

130. SENATEUR BERLET—Flowerslarge and fine; good dark variety.

131. J. J. ROUSSEAU—Sepals bright crimson, corolla very double, bluish violet,

132. CRÉPUSCULE — Corolla distinctly striped with red; fine grower; one of the best.

- 133. LOTHAIR Dark variety, fine large flowers.
- 134. NOUVEAU MASTODONTE—Large and fine, beautifully striped; flowers very double.
 - 135. PAPIN—Deep violet, flowers full. 136. ALPHONSE DAUDET — Beautiful
- deep violet, flowers full and double.
- 137. AVALANCHE—One of the best habited double Fuchsias; very fine for any purpose.
- 138. GEM OF IPSWICH—Dark coral-red tubes and sepals, purple ground-coloured corolla, distinctly striped.
- 139. VIOLLET-LE-DUC—Fine shape, very double and beautifully marked; free.
- 140. MARVELLOUS—Full, doable, bright blue corolla of a pretty rosette-like form, tube and sepals deep rose.

141. MONUMENT — Deep purple, striped rosy carmine, tube and sepals rosy crimson. 9d.

- 142. ALFRED DUMESNIL—Corolla long, pale violet, bright crimson sepals; very free. 9d. 143. MILNE-EDWARDS Flowers very
- double, bluish violet, marbled red, sepals large, coral rose. 1s.
- FORMOSE Large bluish violet corolla, rosy carmine sepals; free. 1s.
- GÉNÉRAL LEWAL Vigorous, corolla plum colour, large bright red sepals. LA FRANCE—Corolla very doable and
- LA FRANCE—Corolla very doable and of a beautiful shade of dark blue, sepals recarved and large, bright red. 1s.
- GÉNÉRAL LAPASSET—Senals broad and recurved, bright coral, corolla violetrose.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each,

FANCY FUCHSIAS.

- 144. M. DUFAURE Corolla beautiful rosy lake, sepals white and red, flowers large; a pretty and distinct variety.
- 145. HARMONIE—The and sepals white and rosy pink, corolla deep manve, slightly shaded rose; distinct and free.
- 146. ALBA COCCINEA—Tube cherry-crimson, and white sepals; corolla violet, mottled with rose; flowers medium, but very distinct, three colonrs—crimson, white, and red—forming a very pleasing contrast; free-flowering and distinct.
- 147. THE PERFECT CURE—Scarlet tube, and sepals perfectly reflexed; good habit and grower, with a most extraordinary shaped corolla, which makes it a most pleasing and curious novelty in the Fuchsia ever seen. The corolla is formed on the end of each stamen, and measures from tip to tip 3 to 4 inches over, and is a perfectly distinct variety.
- 148. VENUS VICTRIX—The first true variety with white tube and sepals ever raised. It was sent out about thirty-six years ago, when new Fuchsias were more readily sold at a higher price than they are at the present day. This variety must have come by a freak of nature.
- 149. COQUETTE—A singular and attractive variety, flowers mediam sized, tabe light carmine, the sepals well reflexed and waxy white, tinged with rosy pink; corolla double, cimamon-red colour, giving quite a unique appearance.
- 150. ERECTA VAR. NOVELTY—Remarkably novel and distinct variety, tube and sepals stained with white, sepals broad, corolla light pink, margined with rose; free bloomer: habit strong and branching; flowers erect and well above the foliage.

PRESIDENT GRÉVY—Tube and sepals coral red, corolla soft manye-pink. 1s.

All those not priced, 6d. each.



ERECTA VAR. NOVELTY.

HYBRID VARIEGATED FUCHSIAS.

151. AUCUBÆFOLIA-Large foliage, variegated and blotched yellow.

152. METEOR - The lower leaves buffyellow, the upper ones rich crimson; first-class for a climber or small pots. 1s.

154. SUNRAY-Is certainly a fine and distinct decorative Fuchsia, being by far the best with red variegated leaves ever sent out; quite ornamental and beautiful.

155. RUBENS-Greenish yellow in the centre and bordered golden-yellow, flowers double, very dark violet corolla, clear red recurved sepals. 1s.

Young plants of all these not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each.

VARIOUS SPECIES AND HYBRIDS OF FUCHSIAS.

LORD ARDILAUN-More robust than Pendulæftora; well suited for pillars or trelliswork, rich erimson-scarlet, sepals short and reflexed.

MAGNIFLORA - Crimson - searlet sepals, and deep violet corolla, sepals thick and not reflexed; distinct. 1s.

MRS. BARRY-A cross between Boliviana and a light variety; tube orange-searlet, sepals creamy yellow, tipped green; of free habit.

157. BOLIVIANA ROSEA-Autumn, large pendulous trusses of soft rese-coloured flowers; tube about three inches in length. 1s,

158. RUBRA-Anattractive variety of which F. Dominiana and F. serratifolia are the parents; rohust babit, large dark green foliage, tube and sepals deep red-crimson, and the corolla bright orange-red. 2s.

159. SPLENDENS - Without doubt the finest winter flowering Fuehsia ever introduced. and is most invaluable for that purpose. It requires a warm intermediate house, and if the plants are prepared about midsummer, and grown on to healthy plants, they will continue to produce an abundance of crange-scarlet flowers throughout the entire winter, which renders it valuable either for cut blooms or any other purpose.

160. FULGENS—The fine old variety. 1s.

 PROCUMBENS—A good basket plant, has small round leaves, and singularly unique blooms, which are succeeded by bright magentacoloured berries, which remain on for months: very attractive during the winter.

162. BOLIVIANA GRANDIFLORA -

Very pretty and distinct.

163. TOM THUMB, syn. PUMILA—A very neat small-growing plant, with an abundance of small flowers; beautiful for either pots or gardens.

SERRATIFOLIA MULTIFLORA-The best and freest bloomer of all the winterflowering ones; dark green foliage, rosy scarlet corolla, and bloom very good.

165. MIELLEZI—Violet rose. 1s.

166. PENDULÆFLORA - Character and growth quite distinct, and being robust will become valuable for pillars or trellis-work for the conservatory; the leaves are from 3 to 4 inches long, ovate, accuminate, and glabrous, having a violet mid-rib; the flowers are produced in clusters from the axils of the leaves and the terminal shoots; the tubes are from 3 to 4 inches in length, rich crimson, shaded with maroon. 1s.

167. DOMINIANA - Large crimson tube

flower; good winter bloomer. 1s.

168. TRIPHYLLA — Soft reddish flowers, distinct, and very pretty; a winter flowering variety. 1s. 6d.

169. MICROPHYLLA ALBA ROSA. 1s, 6d,

170. CORYMBIFLORA VIRGINATA—A light stem and flowered variety. 2s.

Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s. each.

HARDY FUCHSIAS.

171. CORALLINA, syn. EXONIENSIS -Fine hardy variety for covering walls, and best for open gardens, richly coloured in foliage and flower.

GLOBOSA—The good old variety raised many years ago; ene of the best hardy kinds.

172. GRACILIS VARIEGATA

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Young plants of all those not priced, 6d. each; larger, 1s each.

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- 183. GOLDEN TREASURE—Yellow foliage.
 - 184. GOLDEN FLEECE-Yellow foliage.
 - 185. MARQUIS OF BRISTOL.
 - 186. VENUS DE MEDICI.
 - 187. PRINCE OF ORANGE—Dark.
 - 188. OUR FUTURE QUEEN—Light.
 - 189. FAIREST OF THE FAIR—Light.
- 190. LUSTRE-Light.
- 191. MRS. G. DITTON—Light.
- 192. BEAUTY OF SHOLDEN-Dark.
- LITTLE HARRY—Dark.
- 194. FIRST OF THE DAY-Dark.
- 195. EXTRAORDINARY—Dark, double.
- 196. ALBERTA—Dark, double.

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NEW FUCHSIAS OF 1887.

- 197. ANTIGONE—Tube and sepals white, shaded rose, sepals very long, corolla soft orange-red. 1s. 6d.
- 198. BEAUTY (Sankey) -- Tube rosy red. sepals same colour, but broad, corolla plum-purple, distinctly striped; distinct. 1s. 6d.
 - 199. DELIGHT (Sankey) Beautiful dark corolla, sepals well reflexed. 1s. 6d.
- 200. ELYSÉE—Small foliage, tube and sepals red, corolla soft purple; a seedling from the hardy variety, *Ricartoni*. 1s.
- 201. GAIETY (Sankey)—A very richly coloured variety, tube and sepals rich red, corolla blackish satiny purple; effective. 1s. 6d.

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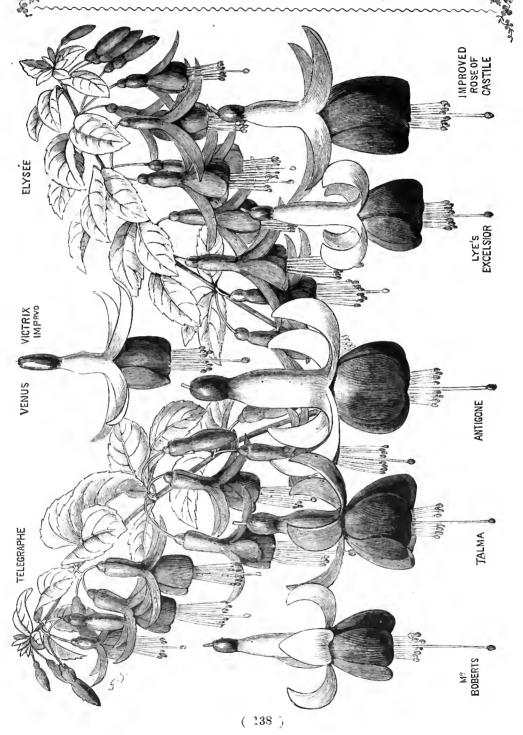
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- 205. ROSE OF CASTILE IMPROVED (Rowson)—Flowers large, corolla considerably so, and perfect in shape, and as highly coloured purple as *Lord Elcho*; growth and habit strong, and foliage grand. 9d.
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- 207. TÉLÉGRAPHE Free growing branching habit, tube and sepals bright red, purple corolla, producing fine clusters; a seedling from the hardy variety, *Rivartoni*. 1s

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DARK VARIETIES.

- 208. ABUNDANCE-Bright red tube and sepals, rich dark purple corolla, shaded with maroon; very free; bright and effective; flower of the best form.
- 209. BENJAMIN PEARSON-Bright searlet tube and sepals, carmine and purple corolla, the latter brilliant in colour, and of the finest form; very free and extra fine.
- 210. EUREKA—A very distinct and pleasing variety, pale, bright, rosy red tube and sepals: deep purple corolla, finshed with magenta; excellent habit, very free, a capital market and decorative variety.

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LIGHT VARIETIES.

- 211. ALICE MARY PEARSON—Creamy white tube and sepals, the latter slightly tipped with green, corolla carmine-crimson; short and finely formed, excellent habit, good grower, and very free.
- 212. ANNIE EARLE-Waxy white tube and sepals, deep bright carmine corolla; very free and pleasing.
- 213. CECIL GLASS White tube and sepals, pale magenta-pink corolla, with distinct beading of carmine in the edges; stont, excellent form, and extra fine.
- 214. LOVELY-Pure white tube and sepals, brilliant earmine corolla, slightly shaded with magenta; remarkably free and pleasing.
- 215. SURPRISE—Waxy white tube and sepals, the latter having slight points of green, pale bright magenta corolla, with a deeper edge of carmine-red; very stout; fine and free.
- 216. WINIFRED GLASS-Blush tube and sepals, rich carmine corolla, shaded with magenta small, but very free; pleasing and effective.

1s. each.

GLADI'OLI.

NEW HARDY HYBRIDS (LEMOINE) FOR 1888.

BOUSSINGAULT—Rose, lower petals marked purple red; well-formed. 6s.

DE HUMBOLDT—Grand spike, reddish rose, blotched maroon, shaded pale yellow. 5s.

ÉMILE GALLÉ—Large, rosy violet. Bishop's purple blotch, lined yellow towards centre.

EUGENE LEQUIN-Naples yellow, lower petals deep purple and yellow.

E. V. HALLOCK-Large and well-formed, sulphur, large reddish criuson blotch, edged yellow, 7s. 6d.

LE HORLA-Medium size, deep rose, blotched purple, and edged yellow.

LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Flowers large, yellow, shaded salmon, very dark purple blotches, effective. 7s. 6d.

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ORIFLAMME—Loug spikes, flowers bright lake, blotches velvety red.

VICTOR MASSÉ-Rose, shaded carmine, very dark blotches, edged yellow.

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HE Gladiolus constitutes one of the finest features of the Flower Garden during the summer and antumn mouths for diversity of colour and general effect, either in masses or planted in clumps for border decoration, backed by evergreens. It is also of easy culture, and will thrive in any ordinary deeply dug garden soil, with a liberal supply of manure. Early and deep planting is the secret of success.

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CONGRES—Medium size, rich velvety erimson, lower petals marked yellow. 3s.

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buff inside, reddish-salmon, sluded green, blotches yellow and purple. 3s. 6d.

*HENRI CONSCIENCE—Resylliae, lower petals blotched violet-maroon and shaded sulphur. 1s.

LAFAYETTE—Large, salmen, shaded yellow, large crimson blotch in lower petals. 9d.

*LA FRANCE—Chamois, shaded salmon, two lower petals blotched purple, pointed yellow.

LEMOINEI—Colour creamy white, slightly tinted green, dashed with rich crimson-nearoon; perfectly hardy. Figured in a coloured plate last year. 6d. each; 4s. per dozen.

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*MASQUE DE FER—Bronzy red, lower petals maroon, with a yellow stripe in centre; flowers well opened. 1s. 6d. each.

M. FRIEDEL—Clear lilac, spot resy purple, large and fine. 3s.

MLLE. THÉRÈSE LAMBERT—Clear lilae rose, lower petals velvety purple and violet, blotched pale yellow. 4s.

VÉSUVE—Very rich colours, velvety purple, lower petals shaded deeper, centre of each petal marked yellow; early. 4s.

* Awarded First-Class Certificates at South Kensington.

CULTURAL DIRECTIONS.

FOR EXHIBITION PURPOSES.—Select an open situation. In October, trench the soil 2 feet deep; use a liberal supply of old hot-bed or cow-manure, well mixed with the soil. Commence planting the first week in March, and at intervals. Plant in beds of three rows, placing the bulbs one foot apart and 4 inches deep. Stake as eoon act he plants are sufficiently high, and mulch over the ground with half-rotted manure. As soon as the plants show bloom, stimulants are beneficial for the full development of the flowers; for this purpose, use our Real Manure once a week.

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FOR FLOWER GARDEN DECORATION.—Plant during March and April in borders, in clumps of three or five, at intervals of 4 or 6 feet, between Standard Roses, Dahlias, &c., or in masses in the courte of large beds, or between Rhododendrone, Azaleas, &c.

The bulbs should be taken up as soon as the leaves begin to fade; gradually dry them, clean them, put them into a paper bag, and place out of the roach of the frest.

LIST OF GLADIOLI.

APOLLO - Rosy lilac, earmine centre on white ground. 4d.

ASMODEUS—Brilliant eerise-purple, flamed garnet, large white blotch.

CÉLIMÈNE—Orange-red, flamed vermilionred, large flowers. 6d.

DIDO—White, tinted lilac, lower petals pure white; fine. 1s. 6d.



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ELDORADO—Light yellow, blotched red. 6d.

FÉLICIEN DAVID—Cherry rose, carmine stripe on white ground. 4d.

FULTON—Velvety vermilion, purple spots.

HORACE VERNET—Bright purplish red, white centre, feathered red. 9d.

LE POUSSIN—Light red, large white throat.

LEVIATHAN—Seft rose, flamed carmine, amaranth blotches, 1s. 6d.

LORD BYRON—Scarlet, pure white centre. 4d.

 $\begin{array}{ll} \textbf{LORD GRANVILLE-} \ \text{Pale yellow, blotched} \\ \textbf{red.} & 5d. \end{array}$

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MADAME CHAVIÈRE—Lilac and violet.

MADAME SÉVIGNÉ—Cherry rose, pure white throat. 9d.

MADAME FURTADO— Clear red, blotched deeper. 4d.

MADAME SOUCHET—Soft rose, blotched carmine. 3d.

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MARIA DUMORTIER — White, slightly

streaked rese, violet-purple blotch. 4d.
MEYERBEER—Brilliant red, flamed vermi-

MILTON—White ground, tiuted rese, flamed red. 1s.

MURILLO—Rosy cerise, white lines, white threat. 10d.

NORMA—Pure white, flamed pale lilac. 6d.

PANORAMA—Resy lilae, flamed carmine. white throat. 10d.

PENELOPE — Blush white, lower petals tinted yellow. 4d.

PHÉDRE—Pure white, flamed cherry rose.

PHIDIAS—Bright purple, tinted violet, white stains. 4d.

REINE BLANCHE—Pure white, carmine-violet blotch. 8d.

REINE VICTORIA—Pure white, carmine-violet blotch. 8d.

SCHILLER — Sulphur yellow, large redcarmine snots. 8d.

SHAKESPEARE—White, large rose spots.

THUNBERG—Orange, shaded cherry, white centre. 4d.

Seeds, 1s. per packet.

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UNBLOOMED SEEDLINGS, saved from our choicest named sorts	50	0 per 100
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EUCODONIA NÆGELIOIDES LILACINELLA — Light lilac, throat white, spotted lemon-yellow and lilac. 6d.

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GESNERA DONKELAARI — Flowers large, of a bright carmine, throat yellow; a most beautiful variety, 4s.

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large velvety brown leaves. 6d.

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—Tube and lobes rich vermilion, interior of
throat spotted red, shiny purple foliage, 6d, each.

PLECTOPOMA CANDIDUM — Flowers large, snow-white, broad lemon-yellow blotch. 10d.

PLECTOPOMA GIBSONI—Fine dark blue. 6d. each.

PLECTOPOMA GLOXINIÆFLORUM—A fine species, large white llowers, golden yellow throat, dotted purple. Gd,

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ROSANOWIA (BIGLANDULARIA) CITRINO-AMARANTINA—Yellow outside, lemon-yellow inside, striped and spotted amaranth. Is. SCHEERIA MEXICANA CŒRULES CENS—Violet, with a sky blue reflex - 6d. each. SCHEERIA PRESIDENT MALET —

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TYDÆA A. DELAAGE — Light carmine tube, lower lobes dotted carmine, upper spotted blood red.

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TYDÆA COMMANDEUR J. B. SELLA—Violet-carmine tube, lower lobes spotted violet, upper, carmine, dotted blood red. 1s, 6d, each.

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MRS. TUCKER-A most distinct and effective variety, throat light rosy red, month rich claret. slightly netted white, lobes purple-blue, outer edge white, distinctly spotted; free, erect,

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MAID OF KENT-White waxy throat and month, surrounded with crimson ring, lobes white; large. 2s.

MARABILE - Rosy purple throat, violet mouth and lobes. 1s.

MR. JOYNSON-White throat, spotted crim-

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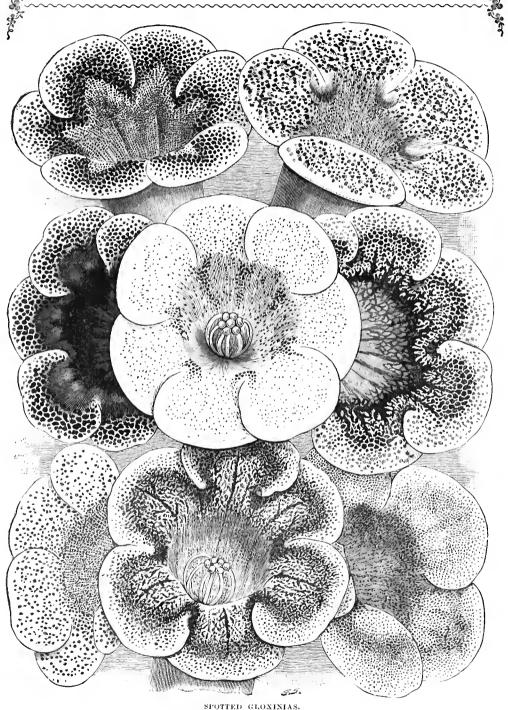
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Seeds, 2s. per packet. Leaves of the above varieties, 4d. each in May.

Started Tubers of the above varieties will be sent out in March,



POTTED GLOXINIAS.

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SPOTTED VARIETIES.

BUFFALO BILL-Mouth stained and striped deep choeolate, lobes white, densely spotted pur-ple; good flower and form. 2s. 6d.

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LADY CAMPBELL—White, thickly spotted

pink; free and pretty. 2s.

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MR. J. B. THOMAS-Throat white, slightly spotted purple, base of each lobe densely spotted velvet purple, lobes white, spotted purple, edged white; large and fine flowers. 2s,

MISS BARKAWAY—White, netted and spotted violet; habit good. 1s.

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MRS. BURGE-White, spotted deep blue.

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MRS. EVERARD—Throat densely spotted maroon purple, lobes netted in clusters of maroonpurple, broadly edged pure white; distinct. 2s.

MRS. FARQUHAR—Throat white, thickly spotted maroon, lobes actted bright purple; distinct. 2s.

MRS. G. BROWNE-Throat creamy white, mouth and lobes netted and spotted violet-purple, deep margin of white; habit good. 2s.

MRS. R. MURRAY-Throat stained lake. month white, netted deep crimson-pink, densely spotted at base of lobes rich salmon-pink, edged white and spotted with soft salmon-pink, very pretty; good habit. 2s.

MRS. W. KENNARD-Throat cream, spotted purple, lobes thickly spotted crimson-purple and edged white; pretty, habit good. 2s.

P. PETTIGREW — Throat stained lake. month blotched and netted bright purple, lobes pure white, spotted purple; nice and neat. 2s.

REV. STURGE-White throat and month, spotted, lobes rich crimson-nugenta, shading off to a lilae-rose; very free. 1s. 6d.

SIR E. SAUNDERSON - Throat cream. veined and spotted maroon, mouth white, netted purple, lobes rich purple-plum, narrow margin of pure white, spotted purple; good. 2s.

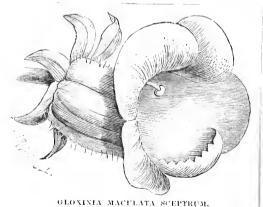
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5. ALBERT DELAUX—A vigorous and distinct variety, being distinctly marbled with yellow; constant. 1s.

6. ROI DES MASSIFS—Beautiful dark foliage: very free flowering and effective.

- 7. PRIAPO—Bishop's blue, with white eye.
- 8. ROI DES NOIRS—Deep blackish purple, white eye; very distinct. 1s. each.
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- 11. MARCEAU—Anadvance on Miss Nightingale; and for general bedding purposes amongst the best.
- 13. DUCHESS OF EDINBURGH—
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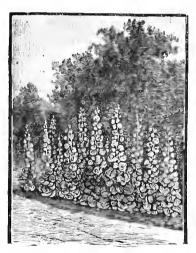
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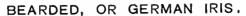
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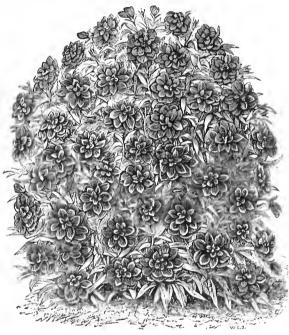
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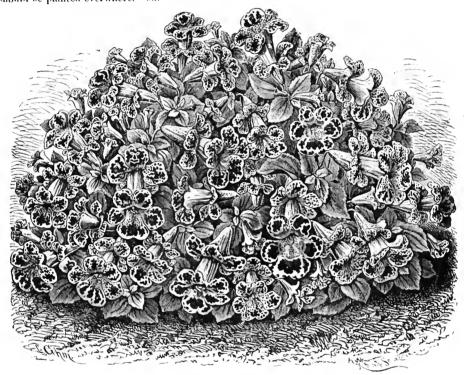
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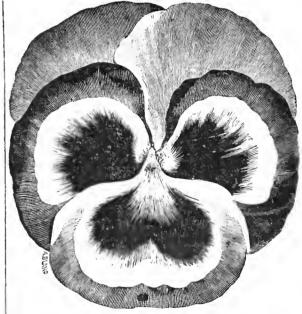
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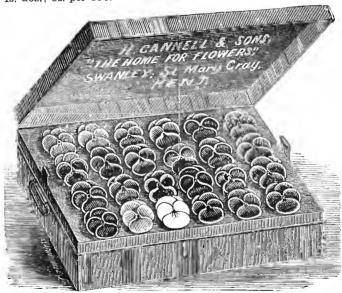
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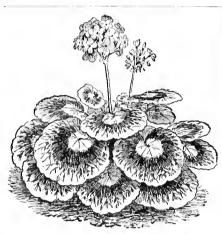
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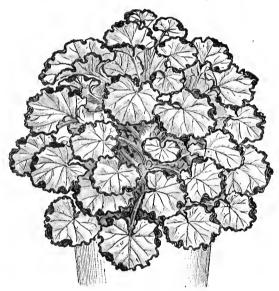
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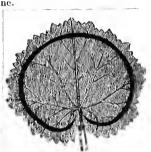
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AUREUM MARGINATUM—Distinctly variegated with pale yellow; good grower
 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

Miss Duckworth, Harpenden Brewery, St. Albans, August 15th, 1887.

The Zonal Geraniums you sent me have been the admiration of all who saw them, and I obtained prizes for them. Your levely Begonias, I often think of them.

A SELECT LIST OF DOUBLE-FLOWERING PELARGONIUMS.

HE various raisers have improved this class wonderfully the last few years, in fact the strong growth is now superseded by splendid dwarf varieties, and freeness of flower equal to the single; these, with liberal cultivation, are sure to take a far more prominent place for decoration than hitherto, and for cut flowers we have nothing to equal them. The following in their respective colours are the best in cultivation. For novelties in doubles, see front of Guide.

SCARLET AND ORANGE-SCARLET.

- 104—GOLDEN CROWN—An improvement on Spade Guinea, colour a nearer approach to the desired yellow shade, of a better form and larger pips; a very telling variety. 2s.
- 105. M. BRUANT Clear searlet, semi-double, enormous sized trusses; for pot-work or cut flowers, one of the most useful. 1s. 6d.
- 106. SPADE GUINEA—Colour equal to New Guinea, orange-searlet, suffused with yellow; habit strong and a free bloomer. 1s.
- 107. B. K. BLISS—Deep scarlet, fine, large, open flower; an American variety.
- 108. KOBUS Reddish scarlet, fine, large trusses; effective. 1s.
- 109. HOLLYHOCK—Brilliant scarlet, shaded yellow; distinct. 9d.
- 110. ETERANTHE—Semi-double enormous flowers and trusses; fine bold variety.
- 111. PAULCHARBONNIER—A first-class variety, of a glowing orange-scarlet, flowers and trusses large, habit good. 9d.

- 112. LUDWIG FERCHL Rich scarlet, flowers large and well-opened; a fine variety.
- 113. DISTINCTION—Fine, large, smooth flowers, of good form; trusses large and effective. 9d.
- 114. F.V.RASPAIL—Beautiful deep scarlet, fine large pips, and of good form; compact habit; one of the best.
- 115. Mr. H. CANNELL—An improvement upon Wonderful, resembling that variety in habit and freeness of flowering.
- 116. GAMBETTA-Red, immense truss and pips; very attractive.
- 117. WONDERFUL—Profuse bloomer, habit same as Vesuvius, from which it is a sport. 4s. per doz.
- 118. JEWEL Very dwarf habit, free-flowering, very double, colour deep scarlet—fine for button-holes.

All those not priced, 6d. each. For varieties with variegated foliage and double flowers, vide Collection.

CERISE-SCARLET.

- 119 MATHIAS SANDORF—Light cerise, very distinct, and producing grand trusses;
- free. 2s.

 120. AUSTRALIAN (Scarlet, tinted orange,

very free blooming.

121. PROGRESSION The chief feature is the lovely distinct shade of colour. 1s.

GOLD

- 122. MRS. CORDEN—Soft rosy cerise of a most pleasing shade, flowers full and of good form; free and effective; first class. 1s.
- 123.4 ERL KING—Light crange-scarlet; dwarf and free. 1s.

- 124. LE NANCÉIEN—Pips full and of the finest form, trusses large; time variety. 9d.
- 125. MRS, COPE—Of a distinct shade of colour, trusses very large and fine, 9d.
- 126. ALTHÆA-Rich cerise-scarlet flowers large and beautifully formed; effective. 1s.
- 127. DÄNAE-Beautiful soft cerise; very distinct and attractive.
- 128. PRESIDENT LEON SIMON—Fine double flowers, large pips, compact truss; one of the best in this colour.
- 129. M. GELEIN LOWAGIE Splendid truss, large pips, single habit, very free, lovely orange-scarlet.

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ROSE-COLOURED.

130. L. CONTABLE-Of a very deep shade, flowers of a fine form; very free, dwarf habit. 1s. 6d.

131. LORD DERBY-Both pips and trusses large and fine, rich pink. 1s.

132. M. GHYS-Deep pink, very dwarf, and free flowering. 1s.

133. PAULINE ROUSSEL-Of a soft and pleasing shade of rose-pink; pretty. 9d.

TENDRESSE-Soft sating-pink, of a pretty shade; flowers and trusses fine, habit good. 1s.

135.THETIS - Deep rose-pink, large and fine; habit good. 1s.

136. MADAME F. GERBEAUX - Deep reddish pink, large trnsses; free. 9d.

137. ROSEA SUPERBA - Beautiful rosy pink, flowers and trusses very large, habit dwart.

138. ROSA BONHEUR - Beautiful soft rose-pink, flowers very large, habit dwarf. 1s.

139. ÉMILE DE GIRARDIN-Splendid variety, with large rose-pink flowers of extra size; a great acquisition. 9d.

140. JULES SIMON - Very light pink, habit dwarf and spreading; a most pleasing and attractive variety.

All those not priced, 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

SUFFUSED PINK

141. EARL GRANVILLE—Beautiful deep shade of purple predominating; dwarf habit; free. 1s. 6d.

142. MISS DOBBIE—Large truss; habit dwarf, free, and very showy. 1s. 6d.

143. THE LORD MAYOR - Producing large, bold, round flowers, of a nearly self brilliant purple-pink; habit very dwarf and free. 9d.

 SURPASSE LE NAIN—Colour of this variety very rich, flowers medium size, but forming large trusses; deep pink, highly suffused purple; habit dwarf and good. 9d.

WITH PURPLE.

145. ED. ANDRÉ-Colour of this variety extremely rich, flowers and trusses very large. 9d.

146. MADAME FRANCOIS DESBOIS— Deep pink, highly suffused purple, very dwarf and free.

147. PAUL BERT - Purple-pink, white

centre, large trasses, very dwarf.

148. MADAME THIBAUT—Grand flower. fine large truss, highly suffused with purple. 149. NEMIE-Pleasing lilac-pink, of good

shape ; quite distinct.

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150. LA CONDAMINE-The darkest in this section, with good full pips; large trusses.

151. L'AFRICAINE—Of a very deep shade. producing bold trusses of well-formed pips; sturdy habit. 1s. 6d.

152. BLACK KNIGHT-Intense dark crimson; habit good, free grower, large trusses, distinct. 1s.

153. NEGRO-A fine improvement in this class; flowers large and well formed. 1s.

154. MYTHEN-A very intense coloured variety; trusses and flowers large. 1s.

155. GÉNÉRAL MILLOT — Bright rich erimson. 9d.

156. CRIMSON VELVET-Very dwarf and free. 1s.

157. GÉNÉRAL CAMPENON—Rich deep erimson, flowers medium size, trusses large, habit dwarf and branching. 9d.

158. CHAS. LALANDE-Intense crimson : flowers and trusses medium size, habit good. 9d.

159. GRAND CHAN FAIDEHERBE— Well formed pips, intense colour; the best in this class. 9d.

160. CIRCE-Niee shaped flowers, colour very intense.

161. M. PASTEUR—Deep crimson, flowers large and well formed.

162. DÉPUTÉ LAFLAZE - Trusses and flowers medium size, and well formed.

PURPLE-C OLOURED.

163. ALSACE - LORRAINE-Of a very deep purple shade, bold trusses, and extra-size pips. 1s. 6d.

164. BOULE NOIR — Of a most intense shade of purple, trusses large and round; distinct.

165. ROMULUS-A rich shade of colour; trusses large and round. 1s.

166. M. L'ABBE JALABERT-Producing the largest flowers in this class; free and distinct. 9d.

167. LAKANAL-Bright magenta, base of upper petals rich orange; dwarf and free.

168. MAGENTA KING-Of a lovely pure magenta colour, producing fine large flowers and trusses; improvement on Roi des Violets.

169. FRITZ LUCAS-Very soft magenta, shaded in centre salmon, trusses large and fine; good habit, very distinct. 9d.

170. GÉNÉRAL BILLOT — Ilabit dwarf and branching, trusses and flowers large, and of fine shape, bright magenta, shaded orange in upper petals; fine. 9d.

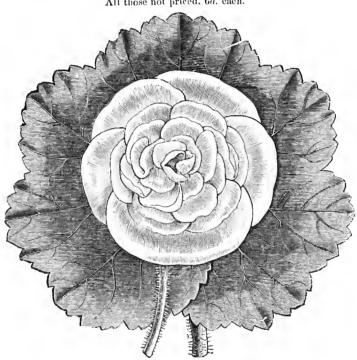
171. CHAS. DARWIN-Flowers of fine form and size, colour much deeper than any

other variety in this class. 9d.

172. AGLAIA - Large well-formed pips; very dwarf and free; one of the finest in this section. 9d.

173. LACENA—Habit dwarf and branching. flowers and trusses large and of fine shape; very free blooming.

All those not priced, 6d. each.



DOUBLE WHITE PELARGONIUM.

SALMON.

174. GLOIRE DE FRANCE-An improvement on Belle Nanccienne, larger pips and trasses. 2s.

175. M. PRESSE-Mottled salmon, at times almost white, with a margin of rose to each petal. 1s. 6d.

176. MDME. DIEULAFOY—Light salmon of a distinct shade, with extra size trusses. 1s. 6d.

177. BELLE NANCÉIENNE — Beautiful salmon-red centre, broad white margin, pips and trusses large and of the finest form. 1s,

178. MADAME HOSTE—Very similar to Belle Nanccienne, but the white predominating; immense pips and trusses. 1s.

179. MADAME MONOREAU—Blush salmon, deep distinct coloured centre; effective. Is.

180. THEA-Very dwarf, mottled salmon. deeper centre. 9d.

181. JAMES MURKLAND—Beautiful soft rosy mottled salmon, lighter towards the margin, pips of the finest shape; a very telling plant. 1s.

182. JAMES VICK-Deep salmon, shaded pink, large open flowers, enormous trusses; dwarf and free. 1s.

183. PANAMA-Flowers and trusses large and fine, fiery salmon, edged rose. 1s.

184. MAGGIE HALLOCK-Clear soft salmon, flowers very large and open, habit dwarf; fine variety. 1s.

185. CARILLON-Deepsalmon, of a pleasing shade of colour, individual pips extremely large and fine; habit dwarf.

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DOUBLE WHITE.

18). JEANNE D'ARC—A very fine variety, producing immense trusses, semi-double flowers, pure white; sturdy habit, useful for pot work; effective. 2s.

187. BLANCHE PERFECTA—A pure and beautiful variety, pips of good shape and full; habit all that can be desired. An improvement on Le Cynge. Awarded a First-Class Certificate by R.H.S. 1s.

188. MRS. LANGTRY—Very dwarf and free; useful in autumn and winter. '1s.

189. PHAROS—Habit dwarf and branching, flowers and trusses large. 9d.

190. MRS. E. G. SLEILL—Fine, large, open flowers and trusses, blush-white, edged and suffused pink; distinct and pretty. 9d.

191. LA QUINTINIE—Large massive white flowers, and trusses very large.

192. **HEROINE** — The largest pip of any in this class, pure white; very fine. 9d.

193. MADAME LÉON DALLOY—One of the finest introductions from the Continent; beautiful blush white, flowers and trusses extremely fine; very free. 9d.

STRIPED DOUBLE PELARGONIUM.

194. FRIGHT—A double of a very novel appearance, each pip distinctly striped white and scarlet very striking and unique; quite distinct. 1s.



DWARF DOUBLE ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

196. JEANNE CANOOT—Of a beautiful shade of blush; very dwarf and free. 4s.

197. COMTESSE DE TANNBERG—One of the dwarfest Pelargoniums yet introduced, never exceeding the height of 6 or 7 inches, and producing abundance of semi-double flowers, just above the foliage, of a mottled salmon, shaded purple in the centre. 1s.

198. PRINCESS STEPHANIE—Resembles the above in almost every respect, excepting the colour, which is a line-pink; flowers enormous and very free. These varieties will add quite a new feature. 1s.

199. ARCHDUKE RUDOLPH - A grand addition to this class; fit wers large and line, and of a deep magenta-scarlet; very dwarf and free. 9d.

THE BEST

ROUND-FLOWERING ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR POT CULTURE.

THE Zonal Pelargonium is becoming more and more popular every day; vide reports in and around London of the stands of magnificent blooms that we have shown throughout the year, the antimin and winter in particular, Several 100-feet houses are filled with Pelargoniums always in flower, and many are so grand in the winter that they are unrecognisable even by the raiser; in fact, no other flower-not even the Rose-can for a moment be compared with our stand of trusses, many of the pips measuring 2 to 3 inches over, and as round as the engraving, and in some instances better. This may appear incredible, but whoever questions this are respectfully invited to Swanley, no matter the senson. To keep plants in good bleoming condition throughout the venr. all that is necessary is to keep two or three sets potted, say in March, July, and September, in good rich soil, with a plentiful supply of water, taking out the points of all strong-growing shoots, thus throwing the whele strength into the truss.

We are glad to say that immense strides continue to be made in this class



CRIMSON AND SCARLET.

For Novelties in Singles, see front of Guide.

260. HYACINTH — Bright scarlet; large white eye, of fine form and substance; large bold trus-es. Awarded First-Class Certificate, 2s.

201. JOHN MASON—Also a grand addition in the searlet class; time sturdy habit, free bloomer; trusses immense. 2s,

202. REV. H. HARRIES—Of a soft rosy red, producing pips and trusses of gigantic size, freely produced; one of the finest of the season. See Eugraving No. 7.—18, 6d.

203. JOHN L. BALDWIN—A fine deep searlet, with a large white eye; bold trusses, dwarf habit; a fine improvement on Mrs. Norris in all ways; free. 1s. 6d.

204. MR. W. BEALBY—Named after the well-known critic on Zonals, on account of its splendid habit, a point on which he is so decided; it bids fair to become a general pot plant, and also a useful bedder, with its beautiful, soft, rosy red flowers. Is, 6d.

205. LORD TREDEGAR—A fine addition, colour soft scarlet, shaded with light magenta; beautiful circular flowers and bold trusses; dwarf spreading habit; free. 1s. 6d.

206. MR. H. CANNELL—Crimson and maroon, pure white eye, flowers very large and fine. 1s.

207. SWANLEY GEM—Bright rosy salmon, of a most distinct, pleasing, and attractive shade, very large and conspicuous white centre, extra large fine-shaped flowers of great substance, fine bold truss; a striking variety. 1s.

208. **KENTISH FIRE**—Crimson-searlet; of fine form and substance. 1s.

209. MRS. BARKER—Light rosy unagenta, flowers of fine form and trusses, very large; dwarf habit. 1s.

210. LYNETTE—Magenta, shaded orange ontside of petals, distinct, pure white eye; very free and effective, ls.

212. SCARLET CLOTH — Splendid rich shade of searlet, very large flowers and trusses.

213. W. E. GUMBLETON—Of a pleasing tint of maroon-crimson, shaded magenta, distinct white eye; good habit. Is.

214. LORD ROSEBERY—Cerise-red of a distinct and pleasing shade; fine flowers. 1s.

215. C. H. SWINSTEAD—Bright searlet. trusses very large and free-flowering. 1s.

216. RUBY—Reddish crimson, white eye; habit very dwarf and floriferons. 1s.

217. RAPHAEL — Soft red, shaded rose; well-formed flowers, monstrons trusses. 1s.

218. **OTHELLO—**Dark scarlet, suffused magenta on lower petals, white eye, dwarf and bushy; free. 9d.

219. NERISSA — Very soft scarlet, small white eye, large fine flowers; effective. 1s.

220. MIRANDA—Reddish magenta, of a deeper shade in centre; dwarf and free. 1s.

221. LORD CHESTERFIELD—Soft magenta, flowers very large; trusses gigantic, habit dwarf; a superb variety. 1s.

222. AJAX—Soft reddish scarlet of the finest form and size, fine bold trusses. 1s.

223. PLUTARCH — Bright scarlet, small white eye, flowers of great substance and size.

224. MELTON—Producing flowers of n beautiful rosy red shade: distinct white eye. 1s.

225. PRETTY JANE—Of a rosy magenta shade: smooth flowers of fine shape and substance, large trusses, very free and dwarf. 1s.

227. MRS. JOHNSON—Soft rosy magenta of a pleasing shade, very floriferous. 9d.

228. CAROLINE — Deep magenta, fine over-lapping petals, small white eye. 9d.

229. FAVOURITE—Soft cerise-searlet of a most pleasing tint, flowers large, and of the finest form; very free. 1s.

231. EMPEROR — Bright crimson-scarlet, flowers large and borne in noble trusses, 9d.

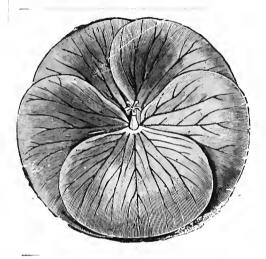
232. CATO—Orange-scarlet, flowers of fine form and substance, trusses large and good. 9d.

233. ALCIDES — Brilliant erimson, large pure white eye. 1s.

234. OCTAVIA — Beautiful soft magenta, shaded rose, flowers of the finest form and substance, habit dwarf and free; extra. 9d.

235. CLYTIE—Crimson, suffused magenta, edged with arange-crimson, white eye, flowers large and fine; good habit. 1s.

236. W. H. WILLIAMS — Rich crimson, suffused purple, small white eye, flowers and trusses large; habit good. 1s.



237. BRUNHILDA—Light soft searlet, flowers large and of fine form and substance. 9d.

238. ZÉLIA—Rich crimson, tinted purple and orange, flowers large and of good substance, trusses enormous. 9d.

239. JESSIE MOIR—Deep rose-madder, petals broad and well formed; habit good. 9d.

240. METIS—Splendid crimson, of the finest form and size. 9d.

24). HERMIA—Warm rosy red, of a beautiful shade of colour, flowers and trusses large; a grand variety. 9d.

242. MRS. GORDON—Bright crimson, distinct white eye, trusses large and well formed; extra fine. 9d.

243. **CELIA**—Of a most pleasing and attractive colour, rose madder, very broad, over-lapping petals; distinct. 9d.

244. ROSE—Rosy red, very large trusses and flowers. 9d.

245, **FUTURE FAME** ← Grand scarlet flowers of the finest form and size; extra. 9d.

246. EDITH PEARSON—Colour most difficult to describe, of a rosy red, tinted salmon, flowers and trusses of the first order. 9d.

247. ATALA—Brilliant orange-scarlet, large and well-shaped pips and trusses; is also a fine variety for winter. 9d.

248. GOLDEN GLORY — Scarlet, highly suffused with orange, pips very large and of great substance. 1s.

Our selection, including all classes of Zonals, for pot culture—in 60's, 10s. per doz., and in 5-inch pots, 15s. to 18s. per doz.

Half specimens of many of the above, in 6-inch pots, 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. each.

ORANGE AND YELLOW SHADES.

(NEW SECTION.)

249. LOVE GOLD-See new things in front of Guide.

250. AUREA PERFECTA—A cross between New Guinea and Jealonsy, and brings us nearer to a yellow shade, which is so much desired; fine bold truss, sturdy grower. 1s. 6d.

251. JEALOUSY IMPROVED — Much larger flowers than the old *Jealousy*, but of same colour; habit vigorous, fine trusses. 1s. 6d.

252. NEW GUINEA—Of an orange-yellow shade, flowers medium size, good shape; compact habit. 1s.

PURPLE AND MAGENTA-SCARLET.

MHS is also a new class, and will eventually bring us a bright purple, from which we may expect a blue.

253. LORD CHURCHILL—Producing flowers with the highest shade of bluish-magenta yet seen; good round trusses. 2s.

254. METEOR—A lovely high-coloured variety, white eye, large and fine, orange in base of upper petals; very distinct; the richest-coloured variety in this section. 1s.

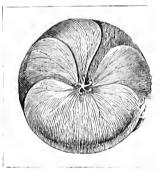
256. FERDINAND KAUFFER—Deep, rich magenta-purple, orange-scarlet in upper petals, very bright and distinct; free. ls.

257. ZENO-Suffused magenta, large trusses, dwarf habit. 9d.

258. VIOLA-Deep magenta, white eye, very floriferons.

259. DANTE—Rich magenta, suffused purple, orange-searlet in apper petals; very rich and distinct: flowers very large and fine. 1s.

260. M. CHEVREUL—Beautiful bright magenta, highly suffused purple, margined with rich orange, also base of upper petals; a great acquisition. 9d.



BLUSH SELFS AND OCULATED.

261. FLORA PALTHORPE—Deep blush, with lighter margin, flowers large; habit very dwarf; free bloomer. 2s.

262. MRS. JOYNSON—White, enamelled with bright pink of a much richer shade near the centre; large pips and trusses of a pleasing shade of colour; quite distinct from anything in this class. 2s.

263. MARY CASWELL -- White, flushed lilac-pink of a distinct shade; a very free and effective variety, dwarf and bushy. 1s.

264. LADY REED—Pure white, large scarlet centre, size of petals almost equal to any in the searlet section; free and effective. 1s.

265. NORAH—Soft blush, flowers the largest of any in this class, a great improvement on Miss Hamilton. 1s.

266. GABRIELLE HOST—Salmon centre extending to one-third of petals, remaining portion blush-white, trusses very large and attractive. 1s.

267. MRS. NAISH—Pure white, distinct fiery red centre; very free and showy. 1s.

268. EDITH LITTLE—Of a most pleasing and distinct shade of soft blush, white blotch at base of upper petals, flowers large and of fine form; free and effective. 1s.

269. EVENING STAR—One of the most beantiful, and for small pots a gem.

All those not priced, 6d. each.

Rose Hill, Sligo. June 20th, 1887.

The Geraniums were received safe last week while Mrs. RANDLE PRYTON was from home. They arrived in wonderfully fresh condition, considering the tropical heat of the weather.

SALMON.

LADY ROSEBERY—Flowers of the finest form, large white eye, colour of the richest salmon, almost approaching to a brick-red near the eentre; quite distinct. See Engraving No. 2. 2s.

271. EDITH STRACHAN - Also of a beautiful shade of colour, deep salmon, shaded rose towards margin of flowers; fine shape and substance, trusses large, habit dwarf; free. 2s.

272. SISSY-Rosy salmon, tinted purple. deeper towards the centre; flowers and trusses

very large; fine 1 ot plant. 1s. 6d. 273. ECCENTRIC—Very similar to preceding variety, flowers not quite so large, but of a' deeper colour, and a much dwarfer habit.

1s. 6d.

274. EDOUARD PAILLERON-A Continental variety, and quite distinct from anything we have yet seen; fiery salmon in base of upper petals, the remaining part of flower reticulated salmon and white, at times slightly tinted purple: large trusses, free bloomer, habit somewhat like the old Tom Thumb, with its plain light green foliage. 2s.

275. OLIVIA—A variety possessing a most attractive shade of salmon, monstrous size flowers and trusses. 1s.

276. LADY CHESTERFIELD-One of the deepest of all salmons; splendid-formed flower;

great acquisition. 1s.

277. MRS. BARRIFF-Deep rosy salmon. intense orange-scarlet centre, trusses large; free.

278. OMPHALE—Soft sating salmon, white eye, flowers large and of the finest shape, and perfectly circular, 1s.

279. KATE FARMER—Of a deep resy salmon colour, flowers and trusses of fine form

and freely produced. 9d.

280. SOPHIE BIRKIN - Flowers of the finest possible form and substance, bright mottled salmon, trusses large and freely produced; most distinct variety in this section. 9d.

281. MADAME COLSON -- Producing monstrous trusses of deep salmon, broadly edged with a much lighter colour; a very striking variety. 9d.

All these not priced, 6d. each.

PINK, SHADED PURPLE.

282. MRS. DAVID SAUNDERS-A fine udvance in this section, evidently a cross between Eurydice and Mrs. Strutt, and partaking of colour of the former, and the immense size flowers of the latter; habit dwarf and very free; grand trusses standing well up above the foliage See Engraving No. 8. 2s.

283. EDITH MILLER -- Producing large globular trusses, of a lilac-pink shade; distinct.

284. EURYDICE-Deep purple-pink, white

in upper petals; very conspicuous; flowers and trusses large, habit dwarf. 1s.

285. MRS. STRUTT-Flowers and trusses large and well formed, a most pleasing colour; habit dwarf and very free 1s.

286. MRS. DANIELS—Deep pink, shaded purple, large blotch of white in top petals, large flowers, and of good shape; fine variety in winter. 9d.

287. JEAN ILL-Very deep colour, immense trusses.

All those not priced, 6d, each.

DEEP PINK AND ROSE-COLOURED.

288. LADY FRANCES RUSSELL -- A grand stride in this section, of a soft role shade, large white blotch in upper petals; fine formed flowers; habit dwarf and short-jointed. See Engraving No. 1, 2s.

292. KATE GREENAWAY-Lovely large round-shaped flowers of a bright pink colour,

very free. 1s.

293. EDITH GEORGE—Rich coloured reddish pink, fine overlapping petals, trusses very large and globular; a fine variety. 1s.

294. MRS. ROBERTSON-Very free and dwarf, flowers and trusses large; colour bright rose-pink, an improvement on Cyprus. 4s.

295. CONSTANCE—A grand variety; very free. 1s.; Sr. doz.

296. QUEEN MATILDA - Beautiful soft pink, flowers well-opened and large, pure white in base of upper petals. 1s.

297. PAUL BAUER - Extremely rich coloured reddish pink, trusses very large, white in base of top petals, very conspicuous. 1s.

298. E. V. SEMBERY-Has every indication of becoming a bedder; very dwarf and free.

299. OLIVE CARRE-A grand improvement on Lady Emily, flowers large and cf good Shape; extra fine.

300. LUCY BOSWORTH-Fine round pips, good substance, large truss, and an abundant bloomer, colour bright rose.

WHITE.

301. QUEEN OF THE WHITES, IM-PROVED—In this variety we have Mr. Windser's latest production, a grand advance on all others, larger and broader petals and also trusses, and without doubt the finest white for pot work yet in commerce. (See Engraving.) 1s. and 1s. 6d. each.

302. INTERNATIONAL—Quite distinct from any other variety; gigantic trusses and grand pips, which are very flat and round, and petals well overlapping, glossy surface to flowers, occasionally tinted towards centre; a fine, bold pot plant. 1s. 6d.

303. QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS — Pure white under all conditions and seasons. cd. each; 4s. doz.

304. ALINE — Pure white, fine pips;

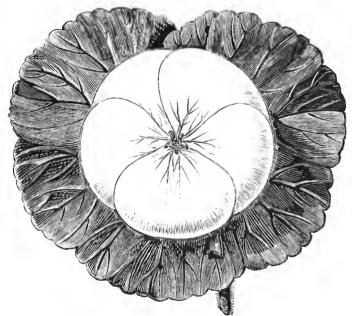
305. ASPASIA—Pure white, large trusses; free.

306. NIPHETOS—Of a robust dwarf habit, and free flowering; a grand bedding variety. 6d. each; 4s. doz.

307. EUREKA—One of the best for winter flowering; fine shaped pips and truss.

303. DUCHESSE DE CARS — Flowers very large and pure, trusses immense; habit dwarf and branching. 1s.

309. WHITE CLIPPER—One of the best for bedding; fine shape and free. 6d.; 4s. per doz.



QUEEN OF THE WHITES. IMPROVED. (See White Zonals,)

HYBRID NOSEGAY, GIGANTEA SECTION.

 \mathbf{K} ERE we have a great move onward in the size of pips and trusses, for they produce immense flowers, measuring 2^3_4 in, over, and although they are of the Nosegay section their petals are very broad, strong growers, individual pips far beyond any hitherto seen in England, and are evidently the beginning of again enlarging the size of our Zonal Pelargoniums.

310. AURORE BOREALE — Light scarlet, tinged with salmon; strong grower, splendid round leathery foliage; size of flowers immense. 1s.

311. GLOTRE LYONNAISE—In every way similar, but different shade of colour; cherry-rose-scarlet with immense pips and trusses; for large Conservatories both are acquisitions, and will give a surprise wherever seen. 1s

SEMI, OR HYBRID NOSEGAYS.

LL these carry immense heads of bloom, like the Hydrangea, measuring, with good cultivation, 8 to 10 inches over, and are grand for decoration, either in the conservatory, for bedding, or for large pots in the open air.

312. PALAIS DE L'INDUSTRIE-Mottled white and pink, highly suffused purple and deepening to centre, small white eye; quite distinct, very large trusses: effective. 2s. 313. WM. JACOBY—Deep crimson, trusses

large; an improvement on Henry Jacoby. 1s.

314. ALEX. ALBRECHT-Intense glowing scarlet, white eye, trusses very large; improvement on Nelly Thomas and John Gibbons. 1s.

315. CAĽIBAN - A very rich coloured variety, distinct pure white eye, velvety crimsonscarlet, medium size trusses; distinct. 1s.

316. MR. JAMES DOUGLAS — Intense crimson, trusses very large and fine. 1s.

317. IDA WALTER-Rich crimson, monstrons flawers and trusses; a noble variety. 1s.

318. MRS. LORD-Intense, rich. deep crimson self, the darkest in commerce; trusses large, habit dwarf. Is.

319. DAPHNE - Of a beautiful shade of rosy purple, flowers and trusses large and very effective; good dwarf habit.

320. NELLY THOMAS-Rich bright searlet, feathered maroon in upper petals, flowers and trusses very large; an advance on John Gibbons.

321. MRS. MILLER-Rich reddish crimson, veined in upper petals maroon, flowers and trusses very large and fine. 9d.

322. AMY KOHN-Rich purplish magenta, slightly shaded orange in upper petals, trusses large and fine; habit very dwarf. 9d.

323. J. McINTOSH-Crimson-scarlet, trusses and flowers fine; very free, habit dwarf. 9d

DR. ORTON-Rich dark satiny crimson, producing gigantie trusses; extra fine.

All those not priced 6d, each.

BEDDING ZONAL PELARGONIUMS.

SAM. JACOBY-See new things in front of Guide.

325. HER MAJESTY - Same habit as Vesucius, with brighter scarlet flowers; our trial bed of this variety last year was very fine. 6s. doz.

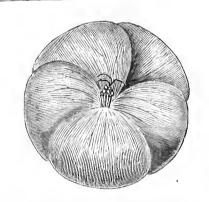
326. HENRY JACOBY-Crimson and scarlet, trusses extra fine; nice dwarf habit, and has stood pre-eminent amongst other bedding varieties at Hampton Court and other public gardens. It gives a grand new feature in every garden, and in point of value stands next to the old Vesuvius. 6d. each; 3s. 6d. per doz.; 24s. per 100: in May, 3s. doz., 20s. 100.

327. WEST BRIGHTON GEM-An exceedingly free-flowered variety of a bright scarlet colour, a seedling from Vesuvius. For bedding purposes one of the finest, and for ent flowers all the year round it will be found invaluable. 3s. per doz.; 20s. per 100.

328, PRINCESS OF WALES - Same colour as the old Lucius, orange-searlet, but much finer in flowers and trusses; a grand bedder. 9d. each.

329. REBECCA - Rosy crimson, large

trusses; grand. 330. LORD GIFFORD - Crimson-scarlet, distinct white eye, fine large truss, and has, as we predicted, become a popular variety for bedding, and justly deserves the First-Class Certificate awarded to it for that purpose,



331. HAVELOCK—Has proved to be a good bedder; deep scarlet, of the finest form.

332. JOHN GIBBONS-Pips and trusses gigantic, colour bright orange-scarlet; a grand bedding variety; is also good for winter blooming.

334. VESUVIUS—One of the finest bedders.

335. CANNELL'S DWARF-Fine dwarf habit, scarcely ever exceeding 8 inches in height; a most abundant bloomer, bright orange-scarlet.

All these not priced, 6d. each; 4s. to 6s. per doz.

BEDDING NOSEGAYS.

LL these strictly belong to the Stella class, and are noted for their massive and continual blooming, and perhaps no Pelargoniums make more of a glare, or better adapt themselves to almost any kind of soil and situation. The following are the best:—

336. TRIOMPHE DE STELLA—One of the finest bedders, stands the snu well; colour brilliant orange-searlet, and perfectly distinct from the old *Orange Nosegay*

337. STAR OF FIRE—Brilliant orange-

scarlet, very large trusses, flowers very freely; habit very dwarf and compact.

338. LADY KIRKLAND—Dark rosy pur-

ple; a really fine variety.

339. INDIAN YELLOW—A very distinct rolour; a bed of this is very effective.

All those not priced, 6d. each; 4s. to 5s. per doz

SALMON-COLOURED.

349. LUCY MASON—A new variety for bedding, receiving a thorough trial last season, and proved itself to be an acquisition; colour deep reddish salmon, deeper centre; large trusses, freely produced; labit dwarf. 6s. doz.

341. SURPRISE (Salmon Vesuvius)— Truly, it is a surprise! First, because the old Vesuvius continues its eruptions, and next, that this sport should produce splendid salmon-coloured flowers, and in every other way identical with its parent; therefore, all may rest assured that we shall not only have beds filled with one mass of this much-needed colour, but also abundance of salmon-coloured flowers all the winter; a gem. 3s, per doz., 20s. per 100.

342. LIZARD—Rosy salmon, with a distinct bright ring of red; habit very dwarf; novel and distinct.

343. MRS. HOLFORD—Also a new variety in this section—deep salmon, rosy margin, white eye; very dwarf. 6s. doz.

6d. each; 3s. 6d. per doz.

PINK.

344. LADY BAILEY—Very deep pink; very effective in the parks during last season.

346. NEWLAND'S MARY—A better variety in every respect than the old Master Christine, which has hitherto brought forth more expression of satisfaction than any other Zonal.

347. MRS. TURNER — Bright rays of purple predominating; a first-class variety.

348. MRS. LANCASTER—Clear red-pink; good substance.

34). MASTER CHRISTINE—Well-known general favourite.

6d. each; 3s. 6d. per doz.

DOUBLE-FLOWERED IVY-LEAF PELARGONIUMS.

T seems but the other day that there were no double-flowering Lvy-leaf Geraninus, yet now we have many and more double than a rose, all distinct, and many of them most valuable for cut flowers; few people have an idea, and very few can form the slightest conception, what grand kinds we have in this family, and what splendid specimen plants they make trained on trellises; and what is more surprising, all, with the exception of Konig Albert, have been introduced within this last six years, and in fact, no class of plants has made such rapid progress in so short a time. The stands of cut blooms exhibited by us at South Kensington (and awarded the Premier Prize), and numerous other shows, were a marvel for the acquisitions they contained, including many of the following varieties, and were justly termed, "Novelties of the greatest excellency."

The undermentioned varieties are Hybrids or strong growing kinds.

350. SOUV. DE CHAS. TURNER—A wonderful stride in this lovely class, producing gigantic trusses 6 to 8 inches acress, and pips 2½ to 3 inches over; flowers of a deep pink shade, feathered maroon in upper petals, the finest English-raised variety yet introduced. Awarded numerous Certificates. 1s. and 1s. 6d. each.

351. GALILEE—A new variety, this being the second of this name; soft rosy pink flowers, which are very large and well-formed; grand round trusses, good habit, free bloomer. 2s.

352. CUVIER—Light magenta; nothing approaching it for coloar in this class. 1s. 6d.

353. JEANNE GILLET—Rich magenta, highly suffused violet-purple, a most distinct shade of colour, and without doubt this and the preceding variety will produce us a more decided shade of blue than we have yet seen in the whole family of Pelargoniums. 1s. 6d,

354. BERTHELOT—Flowers of a magenta shade, beautiful round pips, and very double; habit short-jointed, and flowering at every joint; an acquisition. 1s 6d.

355. LAVOISIER - Also a fine addition: large trusses; light red flowers; very free. 1s. 6d.

356. MURILLO—Dark crimson, the richest coloured variety in this section; habit short-jointed; very free flowering. 1s.

357. MADAME DE WISCH—Scarlet. shaded magenta, also very fine, large, full pips

and trusses, 1k, 358, HENRI MARTIN — Pink, slightly

suffused magenta, very large pips. 1s. 359. CLARA DÜBOIS—Of a lilac shade, very pretty; fine for training up pillars, &c. 1s.

360. LE PERLE—Deep rosy lilac, bushy grower, producing flowers in great abundance.



MADAME THIBAUT.

361. FURSTIN J. VON HOHENZOLLERN—Dark searlet, large bold pip and trass. Received two First-Class Certificates. 1s.

362. MICHELET—Scarlet, slightly suffused magenta, of a most pleasing shade, producing fine trusses. 4s.

363. ROSACINA—Resy red. full flower, large globular-shaped trasses. 4s.

364. MADAME THIBAUT—Has a splendid habit, producing flowers at every joint; it is a grand plant; deep pink. 9d.

" 365. ALICE CROUSSE — Deep magenta, large flowers, very free; best of its colour. 9d.

366. LANG-SON—Orange-scarlet, very full flowers, and fine bold trusses; the best of its colour in this class. 1s.

367. LE PRINTEMPS—Rosy pink; a very beautiful and effective variety. 9d.

368. GRETCHEN SCHUTZ—Of a beautiful shade of magenta, deep blotch in upper petals, bold flowers. 1s.

369. HANOI—Reddish salmon of a pleasing shade, fine pips and trusses; distinct. 9d.

370. SHEI-POO—Flowers large and of fine substance, magenta, shot searlet; a very fine variety. 9d.

371. DR. A. CHIPAULT—Deep selmon-pink; very distinct and free. 9d.



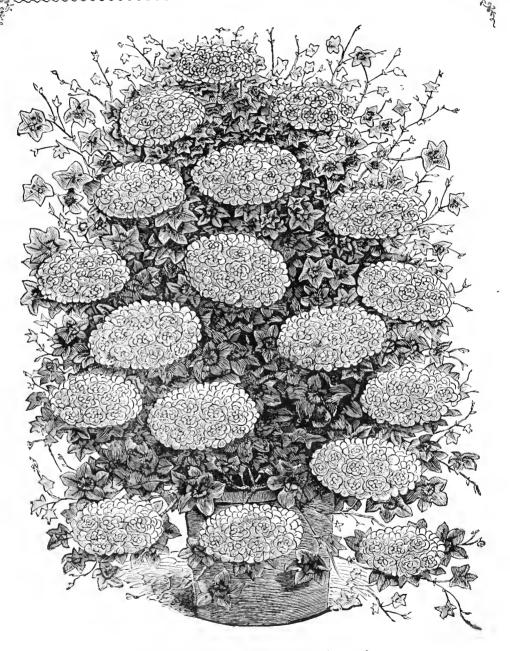
- 372. DANIEL BROS.—Soft magenta, free and short jointed. 9d.
- 373. SOLEIL COUCHANT—Of the same beautiful shade of colour as *Mdme*. *Thibaut*; very large.
- 374. GENERAL NEGRIER Magentapink, distinctly and prettily-feathered in upper petals, semi-double, short-jointed, floriferons.
- 375. HOFGARTNER ESCHLER—Of a soft scarlet shade; flowers very large and effective. 9d.
- 376. EMILE LEMOINE—Orange-scarlet, pips very large and semi-double; a grand addition. 9d.
- 377. MASSENET Bright magenta, hold trass, semi-double; a very telling variety, 9d.
- 378. LOUIS THIBAUT—Deep red, of fine shape; large.
- 379. MIGNON—Salmon, very double, good shape,

- 380. ABUNDANCE—Of a deep lilac shade, very floriferous.
- 381. ABEL CARRIERE—Of a beautiful soft magenta colour, feathered maroon in upper petals.
- 382. JEANNE D'ARC—One of the finest varieties, white, suffused light layender; an acquisition.
- 383. LA ROSIÈRE—Of a soft satiny resetint, lighter margin, flowers perfectly circular and very double; free and distinct.
- 384. CONGO—Most distinct and effective, of the linest form and substance; light lilac, shal deeper, centre rose, edges silvery white.
- 385. MADAME THUVENIN-Soft rosy cerise, flowers large, pretty shade of colour.
- 386. MADAME COCHIN—Silvery lilac, slightly feathered marcon in upper petals; distinct,
- 387. COMTE HORACE DE CHOISEUL—Flowers very large, full, and of a most pleasing colour, measuring above 2 inches across.

The undermentioned varieties are more adapted for trailing, &c.

388. LA FLORIFERE—Soft rose-pink, very free and of good growth; a useful variety for baskets, vases, &c. 1s.

389. ISADORE FÉRAL—Of a most pleasing shade of light rose colour, flowers large and very double; one of the most beautiful and distinct. 9d.



SPECIMEN IVY-LEAVED PELARGONIUM (DOUBLE).

- 390. COMTESSE HORACE DE CHOI-SEUL—Beantiful satiny rose, shaded towards edge of petals white; most charming variety.
- 391. M. PASTEUR-Of a beautiful rich magenta colour, fine round flowers.
- MRS. MOORE-Flowers white, bordered with lilae and crimson, starry centre.

393. CANDEUR—Flowers very double, pure white, vigorous habit; very free.

394. A F. BARRON-Lilac-rose, flowers large and very full, a very beautiful variety; short-jointed and free.

395. SARAH BERNHARDT-Fine large flowers, pure white upper petals, feathered maroon; very free.

All these not priced, 6d, each,

SINGLE-FLOWERED IVY-LEAF SECTION.

396. COLONEL ROUDAIRE - Soft, searlet, large, fine trusses. 1s.

397. MASTERPIECE—Trusses of immense size, of a beautiful rich magenta - crimson. Awarded First-Class Certificate. 9d.

399. MULTIFLORE-Bright pink, flowers and trusses very large, and freely produced. 9d. 400. M. DE BORINGE — Magenta-

crimson, very large and fine; vigorous habit. 9d. 401. LA FRANCE (Hybrid) — Beautiful light rose, flowers and trusses large, habit free, and short jointed.

402. MRS. H. CANNELL - Trusses of large size, flowers of a deep mauve-purple, perfeetly round; very striking.

403. LE VESUVE-Bright rosy salmon, flowers large, petals broad.

404. PLUTUS-Crimson, shaded purple; flowers very large; habit good.

405. GEM-Blush-white, crimson spot on upper petals.

406. BRIDAL WREATH-Ground colour pure white, with a very small and delicate pink

407. INNOCENCE - Pure white, striped dark maroon on each of the two upper petals.

409. DOLLY VARDEN-Free and compact growth; in the summer months it assumes a rich golden tint, and marked near the disc with a dark bronze zone.

ZONALS, GOOD OLDER VARIETIES KEPT IN STOCK.

- 410. ADVANCE-Scarlet.
- COL. SEELY-Crimson-scarlet. 411.
- 419 COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF - Rich scarlet.
 - CYCLOPE—Mottled salmon. 413.
 - 414. FANNY CATLIN—Salmon.
 - GUINEA-Orange. 415.
 - 416. HETTIE-Magenta.
 - 417. IMOGEN—Salmon.
 - 418. LADY SHEFFIELD-Violet-pink.
- 419. Mrs. GEO. GORDON—Oculated.
- Mrs. NORRIS-Scarlet. 420.
- 121.Mrs. DEANE—Mottled salmon.
- 422. Mr. C. L. TEESDALE - Bright scarlet.
 - 423. NEW LIFE-Striped.
 - NEMESIS-Scarlet. 424.
 - 425. P. N. FRASER-Bright scarlet.
 - 426. QUEEN OF THE WHITES.
 - 427. WHITE VESUVIUS-Very free.

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SCENTED-LEAF PELARGONIUM SECTION.

MHESE beautifully scented-leaved Geraniums are now very extensively grown for their highly fragrant foliage, and for mixing with cut flowers, to which they add a most picasant odonr.

431. MRS. DOUGLAS-Lovely rich manve, slightly shaded rose, blotched maroon in upper petals; very free and useful. 97.

432. LOTHARIO-Numerous trusses of rich

violet, rosy crimson flowers, with conspicuous black spots on each petal; distinct in character.

433. CAPITATUM - Rose-scented foliage, large; a nice variety.

434. LITTLE GEM-Bright rose flowers, very fragrant, dwarf and spreading habit; very pretty plant when in bloom.

435.PRETTY POLLY-Fine dwarf bushy habit, large leaves, almond scented.

436. QUERCIFOLIUM — Fine ornamental oak-leaved foliage, leaf black centre, with beautiful margin of pea-green; very attractive. 9d.

437. QUERCIFOLIUM MINOR — Much finer cut foliage than the preceding variety, but identical in every other way. 9d.

438. DUCHESS OF DEVONSHIRE—Of miniature growth, fine formed flowers, ground colour blush white, upper petals blotched marcon and crimson; very fragrant. 1s.

439. FAIR ELLEN-Has large oak-leaved foliage; very fragrant and beautiful. 9d.

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fragrant.

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446. CRISPUM-Citror scented.

447. LADY SCARBOROUGH - Leaves much resembling Parsley, and very attractive; highly fragrant.

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459. MRS. KINGSBURY-Nice addition to this section; magenta-crimson. -1s.

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461. LEDEBOUR—An attractive variety; ground colour lilae, large distinct magenta blotches, feathered in upper petals maroon, fine large open flowers, evenly edged silvery white. 1s. 6d. each.

462. FRERE-ORBAN-Lake, shaded maroon, lighter centre, slightly feathered in

upper petals; medium size. 1s. 6d.

463. EDMOND ABOUT-Large finelyformed flowers; white centre, soft orange-lake in lower petals, upper shaded maroon, with a distinct dark blotch. 1s. 6d.

464. JOHN BRIGHT-Bright orange-searlet, neatly edged blush, dark blotch in upper petals; one of the richest coloured. Is.

465. CHAS. DICKENS - Soft rosy lilac. large white centre and margin; very distinct and showy; maroon blotch in upper petals. 1s.

466. TOMMY DODD - Lower petals soft blush, upper petals maroon and crimson, edged blush; a very showy flower; large trusses, spleudid habit; fine market variety. 1s.

467. GRAND LILAS-French white.purple

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468. MDME. BUCK-A-very early variety; pure white, pink blotch in upper petals, fringed. habit very dwarf and branching; bids fair to become a great favourite. 1s.

469. MDME. C. KONIG - Flowers pure white, good form and substance; an acquisition on account of the total absence of any colouring whatever; when well grown produces an extra number of petals and beatifully fringed. 1s.

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471. VENUS—The earliest of all white-flowering varieties. 9d.; 6s. doz.
472. BLACK DIAMOND—Colour dark maroon, with a margin of lilac round each petal; free and distinct. 1s.

173. IMPROVED PRINCE CHARLIE— Ground colour soft salmon, dark blotch in centre of each petal, large truss, very floriferous, dwarf and short jointed; a pleasing variety. 1s.

474. ANNIE HEMSLEY-Bright rosy crimson, tinted orange, pure white throat and margin, maroon blotch in upper petals, flowers and trusses of perfect form; habit all that can be desired, and one of the finest decorative Pelargoniums ever sent out. 1s.

475. IMPROVED TRIOMPHE DE ST. MANDÉ-Identical in almost every way with Triomphe de St. Mandé, except the colour, which is of a reddish maroon, very intense coloured blotch in upper petals; grand and most attractive variety 1s.

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477. ROSETTA—Deep rosy lilac, flowers large; execedingly free and effective. 1s.

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479. WILHELM VON DRACKE-Colour crimson and purple, blotch in upper petal, flowers and trusses very large; exceedingly free and dwarf. 1s.

480. PRESIDENT BELLE—Ground colour blush, veined crimson and purple over threeparts of the petals, with a broad band of reddish pink, edged lighter; both novel and distinct.

481. SALMON DIGBY GRAND-Identical in every way with the old and well-known Diaba Grand, excepting colour of flowers, which is of a pleasing shade of salmon. 4s.

482. FLORIAN-A very distinct variety: ground colour rosy pink, shaded towards centre with crimson, intense black blotch in each petal.

483. GLOIRE D'ORLÉANS—A sport from Triomphe de St. Mandé, and resembling that variety in every respect, excepting the colour, which is of a light crimson-lake. Is.

484. LADY ISABEL—Soft rosy lilac, deep maroon blotch in upper petals, slightly tinted in lower ones; dwarf habit and very tree; distinct.

485. MR. JOHN HAYES-Soft rosy pinktinted salmon, deep blotch in upper petals, light centre, flowers large and freely produced; habit excellent 1s.

486. **DEFIANCE** — Beautiful rich orangescarlet, feathered deep maroon in upper petals. flowers and trusses large, dwarf and very floriferous; a grand improvement on Prince of Pelargoniums. 1s.

487. DECORATOR (Hayes) - Red. dark blotch on each petal, flowers very large and full, freely produced; a fine variety. 1s.

488. HAMLET ET OPHÈLIE-Light satiny manye, of a deeper colour in upper petals, and blotched deep crimson-maroon; flowers very large and of good shape. 4s.

489. NELLIE HAYES-Blush white, feathered maroon or each petal, crimped margin; very showy. 1s.

490. MRS. ASHBY — Bright rose, slightly suffused purple, deep maroon blotch in upper petals, white centre and margin, flowers large and showy; very free, splendid habit. 1s.

491. GEORGE TAVENER—Suffused magenta, large black blotch in upper petals, small deep brown blotch in lower; exceedingly free and dwarf; a grand market variety. 1s.

492. BLACK PRINCE—Deep blotch covering greater part of petals, shading off to reddish colour, lighter margin; very dwarf and free. 1s.

493. J. B. SAY—Very rich mauve, teathered in upper petals, white throat, slightly crimped; a very distinct and pretty variety. 1s.

494. LADY S. IBBETSON — Very deep lake, feathered in upper petals deep maroon, white throat and margin; dwarf and free, distinct

and fine. 1s. 495. MARS—Deep red. white throat and margin, slightly feathered in each petal; habit dwarf. 1s.

496. DONNA MARIA—Ground colour beautiful rosy pink, pure white centre and margin, feathered in upper petuls deep maroon; a very distinct and beautiful variety. 1s.

497. MOZART—Deep liber-purple, large deep blotch in upper petals, white throat and margin, flowers very large. 1s.

498. EVENING STAR — Deep crimson,

small blotch, white throat. 9d.
499. CAPT. BEATIE—Bold flowers, very

large, brick red, large chocolate blotch in upper petals. 1s.

500. DECORATOR (Braid)—Crimson and maroon blotch, veined in lower petals, in the way of *Digby Grand*. 1s.

501. ZÜLU BELLE — Pure white, dark maroon spot on each petal : distinct. 1s.

502. MISS TELL — Rosy salmon, white throat and margin, feathered in upper petals. 9d. 503. ACHILLE RICHARD—Blush-white,

with large blotch in centre of each petal. 1s.

LA BILLARDIÈRE — Rosy purple, with large blotch on each petal, white centre: a beautiful variety; flowers extra large: good habit. 1s.

BIGOTTE—Deep pink, maroon blotch on upper petals, white centre and margin, beantifully fringed. 1s.

504. EMPEROR OF RUSSIA — Each petal having an equal cloud of dark maroon-crimson, elegantly marked with a white belt; very distinct. 9d.

505. MARIE LEMOINE—In the way of Empereur des Pelaryoniums, but of much finer form and greater substance. 1s.

506. BIJOU — Deep purple pink, white throat, deep maroon blotch on upper petals, crimped margin; novel. 1s.

507 MONSIEUR G. DÉMOULIN—Rosy crimson, white throat and margin, maroon blotch, flowers of immense size; an acquisition. 1s.

508. CHARLES OUTRAM—White, with deep purple blotch in centre of each petal. 1s

509. MRS. BRADSHAW IMPROVED—White, distinct spot on each petal; very large and free. 1s.

510. MISS BRADSHAW—Bright carmine spot, fringed edges; grand improvement on Dr. André. 1s.

511. MIDAS—Ground colour white, intense pink-searlet blotch on each petal, tinted mauve; fine dwarf habit and profuse bloomer. 9d.

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513. CLAUDE BERNARD—In the way of *Prince Arthur*; brighter colour, good substance, and beantifully crimped. Is.

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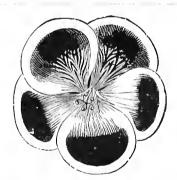
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532. LILY—Lower petals veined rosy crimson, dark crimson blotch on upper petals, light edges; distinct. 2s.

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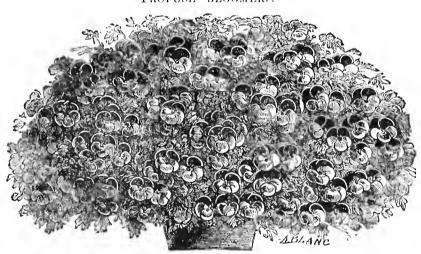
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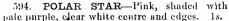
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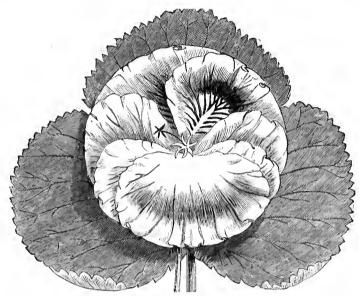
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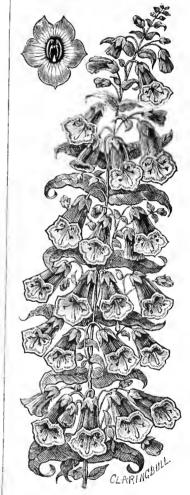
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- 77 GOUNOD—Violet shaded, white throat, netted violet; very large.
- 78. MME. DIEULAFOY-Large, compact spikes, flowers white and cream.
- 79. PAUL BERT-Fiery red, netted white throat; extra.
- 80. VICTOR TISSOT—Pale rose, mouth salmon coloured: very large.

2s. 6d. each.

Pæon'ies, Sinensis Varieties.

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ABBREVIATIONS-g. p., guard or outer petals; c. p., centre or inner petals.

ALBIFLORA CHINENSIS PLENA-Pure white; very large and fine. 3s. 6d,

ALBIFLORA EDULIS FRAGRANS -

Violet-rose; very fine. 2s.
ALBIFLORA EDULIS PLENA — Rich dark rose; late bloomer. 2s.

ALBIFLORA EDULIS SUPERBA-Bright rose, very large, rose scented. 2s.

ALICE DE JULVECOURT-g. p. delicate pink, e. p. blush-white, flaked crimson-purple. 3s. 6d.

AMABILIS-g. p. deep pink, e. p. lilae-pink, shaded salmon; tall habit. 2s.

AMABILIS GRANDIFLORA—g. p. white, e. p. creamy white. 3s. 6d.

AMBROISE VERSCHAFFELT-Brilliant reddish purple, very double. 3s.

ARTEMISE-g. p. r. sy pink, e. p. delicate rose and blush-white. 2s.

ARETHUSA-g. p. rosy pink, c. p. lilac and creamy white. 2s. 6d.

ATROSANGUINEA-Brillianterimson, suffused purple, very double; fine. 3s. 6d.

AUGUSTIN DHOUR-Dark purplish rose. 3s.

BEAUTÉ DE VILLECANTE—g.p. purplish rose, c. p. delicate pink. 3s.

BELLE DOUAISIENNE-g. p. blush, c. p. sulphur, tipped white, margined. 2s. 6d.

BOSSUET — Glowing purplish rose; very large. 2s.

CANDIDISSIMA-g. p. pure white, c. p. primrose at base. 2s. 6d,

CARNEA ELEGANS - Delicate pink, changing to white. 2s. CAROLINE ALLAIN-g. p. blush, c. p.

sulphur, tipped white. 2s. CHARLES BINDER - Soft lilac-purple,

very double. 2s. CLARISSE-g. p. rosy pink, c. p. pink and

white. 2s. COMTE DE CUSSY-A very beautiful rose.

rose seented. 2s. COMTE DE NEIPPERT-Amaranth-car-

mine. 3s. CRAMOISIE SUPERIEUR - Rich deep

rose. 1s. 6d. DAURICA PLENA - Rosy crimson and pink. 1s. 6d.

DE CANDOLLE-Parplish rose, rose seented. 2s. 6d.

DE JUSSIEU-Rosy purple; very fine. 2s. **DESDEMONA—Rosy self**; very large, 2s, 6d,

DR. BOISDUVAL-Rosy yellow and white; very fragrant.

DR. BRETTONEAU—g. p. satin rose, c. p.

DUC DE CAZES-Bright rose, whitish centre. 2s.

DUCHESSE DE THEBA-g. p. pare white, e. p. creamy white, margined crimson. 3s.

ÉCLATANTE—Fine rose. 1s. 6d.

EDMOND LEBON—Bright rose, very large and double. 2s.

ÉTENDARD DU GRAND HOMME -Magenta-rose, rose scented. 2s. 6d.

EUGENE VERDIER-Rosy pink, blush centre; very large. 2s. 6d.

FAUST-Blush-white; very large. 2s. 6d. FESTIVA MAXIMA - Pure white, c. p. edged carmine. 3s, 6d,

FRANCOIS ORTEGAT - Rich crimsonpurple, 1s. 6d.

FULGIDA—Deep carmine. 2s.

GLOBOSA-g. p. deep pink, c. p. chamois; fine. 2s.

GLOIRE DE DOUAI-Deep crimson, semi

double, showing golden anthers. 2s. 6d. GLORIA PATRIA—Pink, lighter centre. 2s. 6d.

GRANDIFLORA NIVEA PLENA-g. p. blush, e. p. white; very large and full. 2s.

HÈLENE-Deep rose; very fragrant. 28. HENRI DE MAY-Rich cerise-purple. 2s. HUMILIS PLENA - Resy carmine; free. 1s. 6d.

ISABELLA KARLITZKY-Glowing purplish-rose. 2s. 6d.

JEANNE D'ARC-g. p. rosy pink, e. p. white; very fine. 2s. 6d.

LEMOINEI-g. p. peach, e. p. light yellow, centre high, white tinted peach; one of the best. 3s, 6d.

LEONIE—Delicate peach. 3s.

LILACINA PLENISSIMA—Beautiful rese, centre lighter, 2s. 6d.

LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Rich carmine-violet. 3s.

LOUISE D'ESTREES - Pink, anemone formed centre. 2s.

LUCRECE—g.p. rosy peach, c.p. white. 2s, 6d. LUTEA PLENISSIMA—Sulphur, changing to yellow, 3s.

MADAME CALOT—Pure white, tinted rose on guard petals. 3s.

MADAME CHAUMY - Satiny rose, with lighter edges. 1s. 6d.

MADAME FURTADO — g. p. dcep rosy purple, c. p. rose tinted lilne. 2s.

MADAME LEBON - Purplish rose, light edges. 3s.

MADAME LEMOINE—g. p. delicate pink, e. p. creamy white, yellow centre. 2s.

MADAME SERRET-Creamy white, suffused chamois. 3s.

MDME. VILMORIN-Blush white, flaked erimson-purple, base sulpling. 3s.

MADONNA-Flesh white, tiuted yellow. 3s. MAGNIFICA-Light satiny rose, edged

MARIE HOUILLON-Light satiny rose, edged delicate blush. 3s.

MARIE LEMOINE—g. p. rosy blush, c. p. creamy white, with conspicuous golden anthers. 3s. 6d.

MARQUISE DE LORY—Pure white, base delicate primrose, slightly flaked earmine. 3s. 6d. MODESTE—g. p. rich rosy purple, e. p. rich rose. 1s. 6d.

M. DE VILLENEUVE-Rich purplish rose, edged lilae. 2s.

M. D'OFFOY—Dark purplish rose. 3s.

M. ROUSSELON—g. p. rose-pink, c. p. rose-pink, flaked carmine. 2s.

NIVEA PLENISSIMA—Pure white, 3s. 6d. NIVALIS-g. p. rosy pink, margined blush, c. p. creamy white and rose, anemone formed; very fine. 3s. 6d.

NOEMI—g. p. pink, c. p. blush white. 3s. OBERLIN—Rich rosy lilac, edged light

OFFICINALIS ALBA PLENA — Blush white, very large and early. 2s, 6d.

OFFICINALIS ROSEA PLENA-Euormous rose flowers; very early and exceedingly double. 6d.

OFFICINALIS RUBRA PLENA - Rich

erimson; very early and large. 6d. PAPAVERIFLORA PLENA-White, base of petals primrose, 2s, 6d.

PIO NONO—Purplish crimson, semi-double.

PLENISSIMA ROSEA SUPERBA-Bright rose, edged blush-white. 2s.

PLENISSIMA SUPERBA-Rose, yellow

POTTSII PLENA-Deep purple, very distinet. 2s.

PRINCE DE SALM DYCK - Rosy pink, light centre. 2s. 6d.

PRINCE TROUBETZKOY—Purplish lilac, edged pale lilae, based crimson. 3s.

PROLIFERA TRICOLOR-g.p. pure white c. p. pale vellow. 2s.

PULCHERRIMA — g. p. light satiny rose, c. p. blush-white. 3s.

PULCHERRIMA MODESTA—g. p. lulaeros», c. p. light yellow.

PURPUREA (DELACHE) - Purple-crimson. 2s.

PURPUREA SUPERBA — Rosy purple, edged rosy lilne.

QUEEN PERFECTION-Pure white, yellowish centre. 2s. 6d.

REINE DES ROSES-g. p. soft rose, c. p soft rose and cream. 1s. 6d.

ROSAMOND - Deep pink self; distinct. $2s.\ 6d.$

ROSEA ELEGANS—Pink, shaded purple. 2s. 6d.

ROSEA PLENISSIMA—Rose-earmine, suffused nankeen. 2s, Cd.

ROSEA SUPERBA—Fine blush rose. 1s. 6d. SIDONIE—Lilae rose, centre darker. 3s.

SINENSIS GRANDIFLORA -g. p. rose, lighter edges, c. p. creamy white, lighter edges; very large. 2s. 6d.

SOUVENIR D'AUGUSTE MIELLEZ-Bright purple; very large. -3s.

SOUVENIR DE GASPAR CALOT-Bright rose, shaded purple, margined with pink. 2s. 6d. SOUVENIR DE L'EXPOSITION UNI-

VERSELLE—Rosy pink edges, tinted white. 3s. SULPHUREA—White, tuged sulphur. 3s. SURPASSE POTTSII—Rich purplish crim-

son, con picuous authers. 1s. 6d TENUIFOLIA PLENA—Deep blood-red;

distinct and beautiful. 2s. 6d.
TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPOSITION DE LILLE—Bright flesh, tinted white. 3s.

TRIUMPHANS-g. p. violet rose. e. p. light

TRICOLOR GRANDIFLORA — Rose and salmon: very fine. 2s.

TRICOLOR PLENA - Rose and white. 2s. 6d.

TRIOMPHE DE PARIS-Blush white and primrose, tipped white. 2s.

VERSICOLOR—Rich rose, tipped blush. 2s. 6d.

VICOMTE DE FORCEVILLE - Bright rosy pink, edged delicate rose. 2s. 6d.

VICTOIRE D'ALMA—Rich purplish crim-

VIRGINIE—Blush, suffused rosy pink. 2s. 6d.

VICTOIRE TRICOLOR-g. p. dark rose, c. p. yellowish pink. 2s. 6d. H. C. & Son's selection, 18s. per doz.

PÆONIES, TREE VARIETIES (PÆONIA ARBOREA).

Price 3s. to 10s. each.

BELLE DE MONZA-Light saluen. BLANCHE NOISETTE - White, lightly tinted with salmou-rose, beautiful.

CAROLINA HISS - Large, guard petals bright in centre.

CLARA-Enormous spreading flower, deep CAROLINA-Deep crimson, large; fine form. | rose, lightly wine-stained, tufted in the centre.

CORNELIA-Bright flower, violet.

DEBUGNY—White spreading flower, tufted petals, carmine in the centre, pretty.

FAREZZII — Flat flower, rose-lilae veins;

GÉORGE PAUL—Large, deep lilac-violet, rare colour.

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IMPERATRICE JOSEPHINE—Flat flower, anemone-shaped bright rose.

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LOUISE MOUCHELET—Enormous bright flower; fine form, extra; one of the most beautiful kinds.

MADAME DE VATRY — Round flower, bright rose; enormous.

MOUTAN—Single white.

MOUTAN FL. PL.—Donble white.

MADONNA-Large, rose-coloured flower.

MADAME STUART LOW—Enormous red flowers, tips of petals white.

MANETTO—Large flower, white, tinted with flesh colour.

M. JULES ORBAN—Large white flowers, petals deep brown centre.

ORGUEIL OF HONG-KONG—Very large, bright clear purple.

PRINCE TROUBETSKOY—Medium size, salmon, pretty.

PROFESSOR MORREN—Fine form, flat, flesh-coloured, salmon-rose.

PURPUREA VIOLACEA— Carmine, base violet, very bright.

REINE ELIZABETH—Large, deep reddish salmon; one of the best.

SIR JOHN STAWTON—Bright rose and rich salmon.

VAN HOUTTEI—Deep purple, black guard petals, tips white.

VILLE DE ST. DENIS—White, lightly tinted violet, carmine in centre, very large.

WEISSE-Large, white, tufted, with rose in centre.

PETU'NIAS.

T is surprising this family is not more largely grown, considering how easy they are to cultivate, and, if well grown, what grand things they are, both for decoration and exhibition. Treat them similarly to a Verbena; choose nice young plants about March, or any time up to July, give them good shifts and rich soil, well stake out, and you will be highly gratified, for some are certainly surprisingly large; and their colours not equalled by any other flower. The finest varieties ever offered. Seed saved from this collection, 2s. per packet.



PETUNIA. DOUBLE.

SINGLE VARIETIES.

- ALFRED-Bright magenta, black mouth and throat; free.
 - 2. DELICATA—White, barred purple.
- 3. DR. DANIEL-Rich crimson, white throat, and mouth thickly netted blackish purple, free bloomer; good double-like habit.
- 4. ELEGANS—Deep lilae, veined purplemaroon; finc large flower.
- 5. JUNO-Rosy purple, veined throat.
- 6. LITTLE PET Beautiful soft pink, reticulated deep pink, cream-coloured centre, veined maroon, medium size flowers; pretty and distinct.
- 7. MISS ALCOTT-Large flowers, reddish pink, veined maroon.
- MISS C. TYRELL-Rosy purple, suffused and veined crimson, black throat; nice flower.

9. MISS MINNEY - Deep lilac, edged white, veined purple ground.

10. MONSTER - Deep magenta, large throat; reticulated black, large, fimbriated. 1s.

11. MR. R. OWEN - Large white, light

magenta rays; good shape.
12. MRS. H. CANNELL — Fine white, regularly barred purple-maroon; distinct and attractive. 1s.

13. MRS. S. HIBBERD-White, striped from centre of flower with maroon, ground purplemauve; splendid shape.

15. SPITFIRE - Intense bright purple, shaded crimson; the best dark Petunia ever sent out; good bedder.

16. TAYLOR—Deep rose, veined and netted

crimsou-maroon; distinct.

17. THE TORY - Reddish crimson; fine flower.

All those not priced, 8d. each; 6s. per doz.

DOUBLE PETUNIAS.

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- 18. ADONIS-White, suffused and blotched purple, fringed.
- 19. ADOLPH WEICKE—Crimson-magenta, darkly veined and fringed, edged white.
- 20. AIDA-Light magenta and white; large.
- 21. AMELIA HENDER Rosy purple, small.
- 22. ANTAGONE Fine, large, double flowers, rosy lilac, shaded lighter.
- 23. ARC-EN-CIEL Medium size, fimbriated, purplish mauve tinted, and veined white.
- 26. BERENGER-Rose, shaded lilac, veiued purple; free.
- 27. BOULT Magenta-purple, blotched white; free.
- 28. CAPITAINE BERTIN Pretty and distinct, rosy blush, netted crimson; very double.
- 29. CELEBRITÉ Light rose, shading to tilac, fine large double flower.
- 30. CONCOLORE—Distinct and fine, pearly white, blotched light purple, beautifully fimbrinted. 2s.
- 31. CRATERE Bluish purple self, large and fringed, blotched white.
- 32. CRIMSON KING—As its name denotes, crimson.
- 33. CRÉPUSCULE Beautiful crimsonpurple, tipped white; full.
- 34. DE CANDOLLE-Fine deep crimson;
- large and free. 1s. 6d. 35. DIABLE BOITEUX - Beautiful pale lilac; very double and fimbriated. 1s. 6d.
- 36. DR. GRIERENEAN—Purple-crimson and white, very full and fringed.
- 37. EDDYSTONE—Deep crimson-plush self; large.
 - 38. EMPRESS—Good double flowers.

- 39.ÉTINCELANTE — Magenta - crimson, fimbriated. 2s.
- GEN. DE NEGRIER Pure white, shaded mauve, beautifully fimbriated, medium
- HERMINE White, very double, beautifully fimbriated.
- 42. J. ROSAIN White, suffused light purple, centre darker.
- 43. LABYRINTH-Purple edged and tipped white, very full flower and fringed.
- 44. LA CHINE-Rich purplish crimson, fimbriated; double, free, and effective. 1s. 6d.
- 45. LE GRAND DUC Crimson-purple, blotched white; free.
- 47. MADAME RENDATLER Claretpurple, splashed white, fringed.
- MADAME HENGIST-Purple, edged 48. white.
- 49. MADAME SAUZER - Fringed, light rose, shaded lilac, slightly veined purple; free.
- M. BUCHNER-White, medium flower. 50.
- 51. M. BESSAND-Crimson-magenta and white, fine flowers.
- MARIE CAREME—Light rose, veined 52.purple.
- MINNIE EVANS Rosy purple, 53. mottled and flaked white.
- 54. M. L. FERGUSON Light rosy lilac, veined purple; free.
- 55. MRS. BARCHARD-Soft lilac-pink, of a pleasing shade, evenly edged pure white, medium size; distinct.
- NEPTUNE White, base of petals 56. veined.
- 57. NOTAIRE LAFOND—Deep crimson, very double and much fimbriated; medium size.

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- 58. ONYX-Magenta, crimson, purple, and white.
- 59PALLAS - Rosy magenta and white; free, large.
- 60. PERFECTION—A strong growing and effective variety, light rose, very double and full.
- 63. ROMULUS-Rose, suffused white, veined erimson; large flower.

RUBENS—Purple-erimson; large 64. fine.

TÉLÉPHONE—Large and very double, 65.lilae-rose, veined deep crimson-violet; fine 1s. 6d.

67. WM. BROWN - White and deep rosy pink, very double and free; a useful and effective variety.

All those not priced, 1s. each; 9s. per doz.

MIESE are a splendid hardy class of plants. Some of them are lovely colours and perfectly distinct to any other flower, and for mixed borders or in shrubberies they are not equalled by any other plant. Some of their blooms are almost a perfect circle. Their roots can be divided in February, and are quite hardy. Plant them in good, deep, rich soil in an open situation. To get fine exhibition blooms strong cuttings must be taken and struck early in March. For cut blooms they are valuable, also very ornamental, and continue in bloom for a long time; if cultivated in pots they are equally valuable for conservatory decoration, and only require nice young plants put into 7-inch pots in May, and, well attended to through the summer, like the Chrysanthemum, to make a grand display.

Our quarter of an acre of the following varieties planted last year, expressly for trial and testing was a grand sight. This list is unquestionably the best and most complete.

EARLY-FLOWERING VARIETIES.

- 1. ALLAN MeLEAN Rosy purple, of finest form and quality.
- 2. ANNE LOCKHART-White, pink eye.
- 3. BURNS-Deep rosy purple, finely formed flowers.
- 4. CLIPPER White, shaded lilae, grand spike.
 - 5. EDINA-White, bluish eve.
- 6. HAMLET Light rosy pink, shaded white, flowers and spikes large and fine. 7. HERCULES-Rosy purple, extra large
- flower.
- 8. HISTORIA White, shaded with rose, very fragrant; fine.
 - 9. IDA-White, small rose eye. 1s.
- LINNET White, mottled rosy lilae; distinct and good.
- MAGNUM BONUM Shaded rosy erimson, light rose eye, one of the largest. 1s.
- 12. MAX KOLB-Bright rosy lilac-crimson, fine spike.

- MRS. AUSTIN—1s. 15. MRS. HARDIE - White; shaded and elouded rose, large and fine.
- MRS. HUNTER Pure white, large bright crimson eye.
- MRS. MILLER—Reddish purple, large spike, extra.
 - 18. PARIS. Rosy purple; fine spike.
- 19. PAULINE-Clear white, deep rosy erimson eye; a fine variety. 1s.
 - 22. PRIMA DONNA-Pure white. 1s.
- THE SHAH-Rosy purple, very large, 24. one of the finest.
 - 25. THOMAS EASTON.
- VAN HOUTTE Rose, distinctly 26.striped white; free bloomer.
- 27. VENUS-Mauve, fine form, large spike.
- WM. KIRKPATRICK Rosy purple deep rose eye; fine.

Those not priced, 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

LATE-FLOWERING VARIETIES,

- 29. ALEXANDER VON HUMBOLDT-Pure white, rosy purple eye; very dwarf. Is.
- 30. ANDREW KEDDIE-Light rosy purple; fine shape.
- 31. ARAGO Salmon-rose, shaded violet, large; extra fine. 1s.
 - 32. ATLAS-Rosy salmon, dark centre.
- AUGUSTE RIVIÈRE Salmon-red, tinted orange, deep crimson eye; good.
- 34. AUSTIN WITHERS Greyish lilac, fine carmine eye; fine and distinct.
- 35. BACILLE-Violet mauve, large and fine; dwarf.
- 36. BARON DE LASSUS-Light salmonerimson, tinted purple centre; free.
- 37. BARONNE SCHLICKLER Light rosy pink, slightly tinted purple; fine spike.
- 38. BASTIAN LEPAGE White, shaded lilac, large mauve centre; dwarf and free.
- 39. BECKY-Beautiful rosy pink, crimson centre; fine.
- 40. CAMERON-Light rose, deeper centre, flowers and spike large.

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41. CAROT-Fine large spikes, and flowers of the purest white; dwarf. 1s.

C. DARWIN — Salmon, centre violet; dwarf.

43. CHARLEMAGNE—Deep magenta, slightly tinted purple, dark eye; very free.

44. CHARLOTTE SAISSON-White,

light crimson centre; large and fine.

45. CLARA-White, tinted deep rose, dark crimson eye; fine flower.

 CLAUDE DE JOUFFROY — Reddish violet, centre purple, large; fine form.

47. COLIBRI - Light rose, dark sating rose centre.

48. COMÉDIE—Clear lilac, edged white, white centre. 1s.

49. COMTE LAMBERTYE - Deep rich crimson, suffused with violet.

50. COMTESSE DE BROW-Orange-red, deep crimson centre.

51. CONFLIT - Medium size, deep rose, reddish scarlet centre; very free. 1s.

52. CONGRES -- Clear violet, shading to white in centre, 1s.

53. CORTAMBERT-Pure white, deep crimson eye; large flowers, grand spike.

54. COUNTESS OF GALWAY. 1s.

55. CROZY FILS—Rosy crimson, tinted purple, dark eye.

56. CUIRASSÉ-Rosy violet, veined and striped white.

57. DARWIN-Rosy violet; flowers very large and fine.

58. DEFIANCE - White, light crimson

centre. 1s. 59. DE FONVIELLE — Pure white, of fine size and form; dwarf. Is.

60. DE FREYCINET—Deep violet, purple eentre; large.

61. DE LESSEPS — Rosy mauve; flowers large and fine.

62. DON JUAN - Beautiful rose shade, deeper centre. 1s.

63. DRAPEAU - Deep crimson veined, centre purple.

64. DR. CRÉVAUX-Bright carmine, shading off into rose.

65. DR. THUILLIER—Bright red, centre scarlet; fine form. 1s.

66. EARL BRANDCŒUR, 1s.

67. EARL OF ROSSLYN-Rosy crimson, shaded dark violet. 1s.

ERATO—Rosy pink, deep crimson eye.

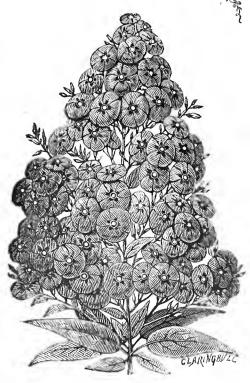
69. EUGENE TUNNER-White, rosy crimson eve; extra fine.

FÜGENE VERDIER — Deep lilac, shaded rosy purple, dark eye; very distinct.

 FILLE DE L'AIR—Pure white, bright rose centre; very dwarf.

72. FLORE—Rosy-manye, large star-shaped centre; dwarf. 1s.

73. FOU-TCHÉOU-Reddish violet; very large.



74. FRAULEIN STEINER—Pure white, deep earmine centre. 1s.

75. FRAU HOHEISON-Rosy salmon, darker centre. Is.

FRAU W. SPEMANN—Salmon-red,

tinted orange, darker eye; large. 1s. 77. FRÉDÉRIC FAILLIE—White, tinted pale rose, large carmine eye, grand spike, extra fine. 1s.

78. GÉNÉRAL MARGUERITTE—Clea lilac, centre white, edge of petals white. 1s.

79. GEORGE SAND-Waxy white, flowers large; splendid, one of the best. 1s.

80. GLORIA VICTIS-Rosy violet, carmine centre. 1s.

G. SCHOTTLER. 1s.

82. HEINRICH SCHNEIDER. HERZOG PHILIPP VON WURTEM-83.

BERG—Rosy violet, lighter centre. Is. 81. HORACE VERNET - Rosy-manve, centre bright manve; good.

85. HYPHINISON—Light pink, deep crimson centre, flowers and spike large; good.

86. JAMES ALLAN-Salmon-scarlet, crimson eye; fine spike.

87. JAMES DICKSON-Rosy lilac, of the finest form and substance.

- 88. JAMES MACKAY—Pure white; a useful variety. 1s.
- 89. J. FRÜB-Rosy violet, reddish centre. 1s.
- 90. JOHN ALEXANDER Salmon-scarlet, tinted violet, crimson eye; first rate. 1s.

91. JOSEPH BARA—Large reddish ama-

ranth, shaded purple; dwarf. 1s. 92. J. STEWART — Bright rosy crimson;

fine form. 1s.

93. LAFAYETTE—Rosy lilae, light crimson eye.

94. LECARD—White, shaded and marbled violet and lilae.

95. LE JEUNE VIALA — Pearly white, rosy earmine centre, very compact spike; dwarf.

96. LE LION—Rose, edge of petals blotched carmine; early.

97. LE PATRIOTE—Blush white, deep rose centre; well-formed flowers.
98. LE POLE NORD—Pure white, deep

98. LE POLE NORD—Pure white, deep purple-erimson eye; very free.

99. LIERVALLI—Dark rose, striped white: dwarf and distinct.

100. LUCIE BALTET—Rich lilae, edged

white, large white centre; fine. 1s. 101. MADAME ATGER—Purplish rose;

very showy.

102. MADAME CROUSSE — Pure white, purplish crimson eye, fine flowers: good. 1s

purplish crimson eye, fine flowers; good. 1s. 103. MADAME DE MASSONCURE—Pure white, hright crimson centre; good spike.

104. MADAME DE ST. PULGENT— Bright rose-pink, with deep rosy crimson eye; grand spike.

105. MADAME H. JACOTOT—Pure white; light crimson eyc.

106. MADAME LA COMTESSE FER-NANDINA—White, rosy crimson centre.

107. MADAME LA DUCHESSE DE BAUFREMENT—White ground, shaded bluish eentre

108. MARSEILLAISE — Rich reddish salmon; purple centre.

109. MARS — Rosy salmon, carmine eye;

110. **MÉANDRE**—A pretty variety, of a violet-rose shade. 1s.

111. MÉTÉORE—Rose, shaded violet, centre deeper, with a white eve. 1s.

112. MISS RENNY — Rosy lilac, with lighter markings. 1s.

113. MRS. JAMES ANDERSON—Dark rosy salmon; splendid flower and spike. 1s.

114. MRS. LAING—Soft rosy lilac, good habit. 1s.

115. MRS. STANDRING—Pale rose, large rosy crimson eye.

116. MRS. WHITEHEAD—Rich rosy lilac, with rich carmine centre. 1s. 6d.

117. M. BULS-Light rose, dark rose eye: large.

118. M. FOREST—Deep rese, shaded purple, bright crimson eye.

119. M. GRAHAM—Brilliant rose, carmine centre; dwarf. 1s.

120. M. GUILBERT — Beautiful lilac-mauve, large white centre.

121. M. OUDIN—Deep pink, conspicuous erimson eye; large flowers. 1s.

122. M. PASTEUR—Beautiful clear violet, edged lilac.

123. M. THURET—Bluish violet; large flowers.

124. NAUTILUS — Orange-salmon, centre scarlet; fine form. 1s.

125. OPHIR—Carmine-rose, centre scarlet: well formed. 1s.

126. OTTO FRÖBEL — Rosy crimson, darker eye; extra large and fine. 1s.

127. OURAGAN—Large, bluish-violet. 1s. 128. PELLETON—Pure white, light crimson centre, flowers and spike very large; fine.

129. PERLE — White, large violet-shaded

130. PIONNIER—Of a peculiar and distinct shade of violet, at times besprinkled with spots of crimson; quite a new colour. 1s. 6d.

131. PRIME MINISTER — Blush-white, very large deep rose centre.

132. PRINCESS GHYKZE—Red, deeper centre.

133. PRINCESS LOUISE — Pure white, purple-crimson centre.

134. PRINCESS OF WALES — White, shaded rose, bright scarlot-crimson eye. 1s.

135. SÉLECTION — Mauve, large white centre, compact spikes. 1s.

136. SGANARELLE — Soft rose, shaded deeper; large. 1s.

137. SOUVENIR DE NANCY — Lilac, white centre.

138. ST. BEAUVE—Pare white, rose eye; extra.

139. SUFFRAGE—White, suffused purple, light purplish red centre; flowers and spike large.

140. TÉLÉPHONE—Light crimson, shaded purple; flowers large.

141. THE DEACON—Deep rosy purple, dark crimson eye; grand spike.

142. THE LADY.

143. THE QUEEN — Beautiful white, flowers and spikes large; best white yet out, habit dwarf.

144. T. S. WARE-Lilac, bluish centre; very distinct.

145. VICTOR HUGO—Brilliant searlet; fine and distinct.

146. WILHELM SCHEURER.

147. WURTZ-Pure white, centre carmine and white.

NEW PHLOXES OF 1887.

148. BERLET-Pure white, bright carmine centre; effective.

149. CLAUDE GELLÉE - Spikes large, violet-purple, edged rose.

150. ERCKMANN-CHATRIAN - Large, blaish-violet, shading off to white, violet centre.

151. GRANDVILLE - Well formed, very

large, ereamy white.

152. LÉO DELIBES - Lilae and white, distinct violet centre.

153. MASSENET-Purple lake, edged clear rose.

M. BOUQUET DE LA GRYE -154. Pure white, large purple centre.

155. M. JULES ROCHE—Rich lake, large reddish centre.

156. M. MAREY-Large and well formed, deep rose, shaded carmine round centre.

1s. 6d. each.

DWARF VARIETIES.

157. CONCOURS - Very large, carminerose, centre rich, red.

158. FLORÉAL - Violet purple, veined deeper.

159. GÉNÉRAL FROLOW - Large and well formed, rose-purple.

160. HORIZON—Rose, shaded purple, red eentre.

161. LE SOLEIL—Soft rose, deep centre; large and fine.

162. PROTÉE - White, tinted lilac, fine spikes.

2s. each.

NEW PHLOXES FOR 1888.

163. AMMONITE — Lilac-rose, very large white star centre, fine flowers.

 CRÉSUS—Large spikes, flowers large, reddish cerise, scarlet centre.

DOLMEN—Blush-white, large carmine

166. GÉNÉRAL BRÉART—Flowers very large, white, tinted lilac, carmine and violet centre; fine.

167. GÉNÉRAL BRICE—Fine form, deep red, purple shaded centre.

168. PASCAL - Very large, pure white, rosy carmine centre.

169. TEMPÊTE - Deep salmon, reddish purple centre, grand spikes, flowers large.

3s. each.

DWARF VARIETIES.

170. ATLANTE - White, marked violet, violet centre.

171 CASSIOPÉE-Rosy lilac, white centre. medium-size flowers.

172. MALGACHE - White, large purple centre, very dwarf.

173. MICHEL CERVANTES - Large spikes, flowers very large, creamy white, carmine

174. MONTÉZUMA—Flowers very large. distinct shade of violet.

175. SCHLIEMANN-Deep red, purple centre; large.

176. TOMBOUCTOU — Silvery-rose, rich carmine centre, large spikes; very dwarf.

177. TORÉADOR — Rosy salmon. purple shaded centre. flowers large; effective.

3s. 6d. each.

GENERAL COLLECTION.

Those flowers marked **u** are heavy-edged; **u** light edged; not marked, intermediate.

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BEAUTY OF PLUMSTEAD (Norman). EDITH DOMBRAIN (Turner), u. ELISE (Kirtland). ETHEL (Fellowes), 1.. FANNY HELEN (Niven), fine, 11. FAVOURITE (Liddington), extra fine. 1s. 6d. LOUISA (Addis). n., 1s. 3d. MISS LEE (Wood). n.

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a group of border carnations and picotets. (See page 43 for Carnations) Seeds, 2s, 6d, per pkt. (200°)

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COUNTESS OF WILTON (Holland), II.

DR. EPPS, II; fine.

J. B. BRYANT (Ingram), fine.

II., 1s. 3d.

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All those not priced, 1s. For Seeds of these choice kinds, vide Seed List.

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Our selection, for borders, 9s. per dozen.

PINKS.

E have often thought[when we have stopped to admire their beauty, that if all were as fond of flowers as we are, these most beautiful plants would be grown everywhere. It must be remembered that their lovely little flowers are very different to the common rough-edged Pink; in fact, they are about the nicest hardy flowers of the whole garden.

NEW PINKS OF 1887.

ALLAN KERR—Fine white petal, rosy red lace; fine form.

ANDREW JAMIESON—Large white petal, red-purple lace; large fine flower.

ANGUS PAUL—Large smooth white petal, clear red-purple lace: fine distinct flower.

DR. WILSON—White petal, broad rosy pink lace; fine form and quite distinct.

FAIREST OF THE FAIR (Cronk)—Large smooth white petal, pale lifac lace; very distinct.

J. McNAUGHTON—Large white petal, clear purple lace; fine.

JOHN PATTISON—Smooth white petal, very dark red lace; large fine flower.

LORD ROSEBERY—Pure white petal, dark rosy purple lace; distinct and very fine.

MARIE WALKER—Very large white petal, dark rosy red lace; large and extra fine.

MRS. J. CRONK (Cronk)—Smooth white petal, rosy purple lace; extra fine.

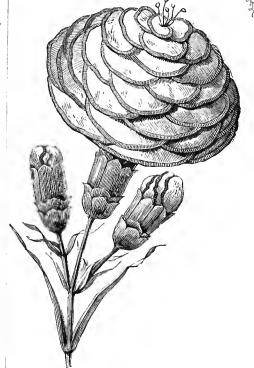
NOBLE GRAND (Cronk)—White petal, very dark lace; flowers extra large and fine.

P. M. McGHIE—White petal, very bright red lace; distinct and fine.

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- ADA—Crimson.
- ANNE BOLEYN—A useful variety. 1s.
- 3. ASCOT-Of a soft fleshy pink shade, with a deep earmine centre; very free.
- 4. BEAUTY—Red, large flowers.
- 5. **BERTRAM**—Red, broad lacing, full size; fine.
 - BLONDIN-Dark; fine.
- CAPTAIN HOLMES—White ground, centre very deep maroon.
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- 11. EARL OF ESSEX—Pink, fimbriated, sweet scented.
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- 14. FIMBRIATUS ALBUS MAJOR Pure white, very double, fragrant. 1s.
 - 15. GEM—Soft rosy crimson.
 - GENEVE—Rich crimson; fine.
- 17. GEO. WHITE—Purple; large and fine. 1s.
- 18. GODFREY-Heavily laced, bright reddish purple. 1s.
 - GRACIE—Rosy purple.
 - J. DRAKE-Heavy red lace; very free.
 - JESSICA-Red; large, full flower.
 - JUNO—Rich rosy lake.
 - KITTY WAKE-Dark ; distinct. 23.
 - LANCER-Free; dark.
- 25. LORD LYON—Rosy purple, full smooth flower. 1s. 6d.
 - MARION—Deep red.
 - 27. MABEL—Rosy purple.
- MARY'S JOY-Crimson-purple, double and fine.
- 29. MASTER HARRY White ground. heavy and regular plum lacing: distinct.
- 30. MODESTY-Rosy purple; one of the
- best. 1s.
 31. MR. HOBBS—Rosy purple.
 32. MRS. PETTIFER—Dark centre. broad white edge.
- 33. MRS. SINKINS—Pure white, large and full, sweet-scented; a useful variety.



MODEL BLOOM.

- MRS. WAITE—Rosy red.
- PRIDE—Light purple-crimson.
- 36. PRINCE FREDERICK WILLIAM-
- Rosy purple; large, full, fine flower. 37.
 - RUBY GEM-Ruby-red. 38. SARAH-Dark.
 - 39.SCARLET GEM—Bright colour.
 - TRIENS-Light purple crimson. 40.
 - 41. VIGILANT—Red.
- 42.WM. PAUL-Clear rose lace, large, full flower; fine. 1s. 6d.

All those not priced, 9d. caen: our selection, 5s, per doz.

Mr. J. Greeney, Gaulstown Honse, Navan, April 4th, 1887. Plants to hand this day. They carried first rate and arrived in excellent condition, and I am sure will do well.

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ROCK PINKS.

Very pretty for rock-work and herbaceous border; will grow in any ordinary soil.

CICERO—Pure white, beautiful and double.

JULES FERRY—Soft rosy blush, bright crimson centre; free and early.

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Perpetual-flowering Hybrids, very ornamental.

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MOSCATUS, MILLE HUIT CENT QUATRE-VINGT-UN (1881)—The flowers have a powerful fragrance, ure of medium size, with finbriated petals of a rosy-lilac, deeper in shade in snumer than in winter; a perpetual-flowering vuriety, equally as useful in the greenhouse during the winter as it is outside during the summer. 9d.; 6s. per doz.

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HESE give us the first token of spring, and where the florists' properties are understood, and seed saving and raising of new kinds carried on, they lead to an immense amount of pleasure. Ou account of the extreme dryness which prevailed during last summer, our stock suffered terribly.

CHESHIRE FAVOURITE (Olliers)—A fine dark exhibition variety, beautifully and evenly laced; raised in 1840. 2s.

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Seeds from these, 2s. 6d. per packet.

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PANTALOONS—No doubt originated from the Cowslip, and when planted in a bed their beautiful bright colours are one of the gayest sights in the spring and early summer. 1s.

JACK-IN-THE-GREEN—No plant more curious and beautiful than this when showing its rosy bright scarlet flowers, surrounded or set in its own callyx or leaves, hence its name. 1s.

GOLDEN GEM (YELLOW HOSE-IN-HOSE)—A very uncommon variety, although before the rage for Verbenas and Zonal Pelargoniums it was generally grown. 1s.

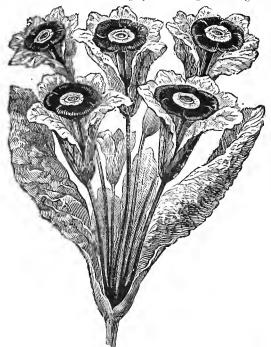
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OXLIPS—Superior forms of the common varieties; colours most beautifully rich and varied, and in the borders they make a splendid effect. 6d. cach; 4s. per doz.

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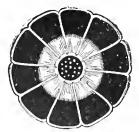


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Really first-class seedling gold-laced Polyanthus, for garden decoration, nearly as good as named varieties, 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

Ordinary bedding kinds, 2s. 6d. per doz.

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IRISH COWSLIP—Smaller cupped drooping flowers, bright yellow and very prefty. 2s. CHARLOTTE JONES—Large and showy, but the flowers crimson-marcon, with orange centre. 2s. MAGENTA QUEEN—Smaller than the preceding, the flowers of a purplish crimson, orange centre. 2s. 6d.

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HERE is no greater charm to the eye all through the spring than these. Although they are Primroses, they are totally different to what we are accustomed to see, being stronger growers, and their blossoms of an immense size and of great variety of colours. Many are of a lovely deep purple-coloured violet, and others approach a distinct shade of red, whilst the yellows and whites are most striking. Equally as good in their various colours as Harbunger, introduced by the Marquis of Exeter, and which has given such great satisfaction. 4s. to 6s. doz. 1s. per pkt.

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PURPLE — A fine variety: very rich and fine. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

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CLOTH OF GOLD — A splendid variety, with flowers rich lemon, large and full; perfectly distinct. 2s. 6d. each.

Lilac-Pale lilac, large, fine; early. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

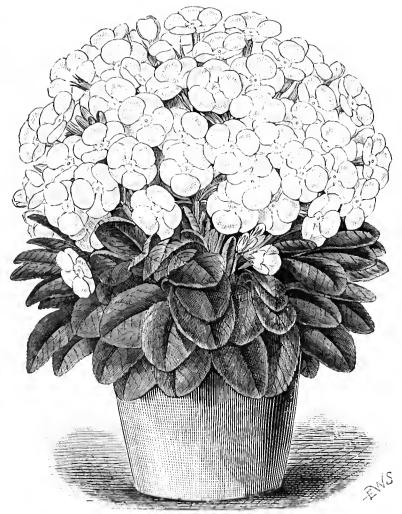
CROUSSEI FLORE PLENA—2s.
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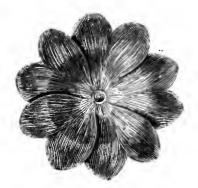


PRIMROSE-HARBINGER. (See preceding page.)

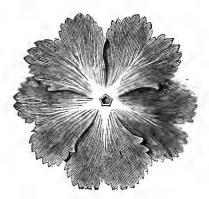
Primula Sieboldi.

(CORTUSOIDES AMŒNA.)

OMPARATIVELY speaking, this is a new class of Primula, and since introduced has been wonderfully improved, in fact the flowers have been made double and in some varieties treble the size, therefore they have become nearly as indispensable as Cyclamen, Cinerarias, &c., for greenhouse decoration, and also for the garden, as they are hardy; in winter they die down to their fleshy roots, and beyond keeping them moderately dry they are no tromble until they are required to be pushed on for flowering, when they merely want the protection of a cold greenhouse, and potting in ordinary soil. Afterwards they can be kept out of doors.



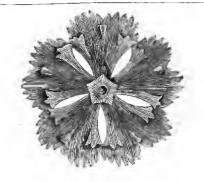
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P. FIMBRIATA OCULATA.



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SIEBOLDI — One of the grandest of our spring flowering plants, invaluable for pots either in the conservatory or in the open; can be grown anywhere. The umbels are from four to six inches in diameter, of a rich magenta-crimson colour. 1s.

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PRESIDENT SIMON—White, edged soft lilac; vigorous grower, fine spike, very large. 2x. 6d.

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ROSALBA—Rosy pink, a pleasing shade of colour; quite distinct. 1s.

SIRIUS—Carmine-rose, shaded violet, fine large white centre, large and fine. 3s. 6d.

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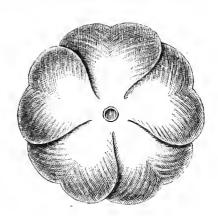
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DENTICULATA—Clear lilac, very hardy, will thrive either in pots or border, producing a quantity of heads of flowers (as per engraving) sbortly after the first few days of sunshine in early spring. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

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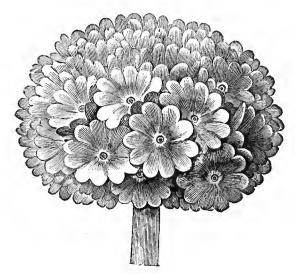
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DENTICULATA.

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SPECTABILIS—A charming Alpine, flowers

velvety purple; very early 1s, 6d. VILLOSA—Dwarf species, rosy-lilae flowers, fine for pots or rockwork. 1s.

VISCOSA NIVEA (Arctotis) (Nivalis) (The Snowy Primrose)-A dwarf species, producing compact trusses of white flowers in early spring; a pretty plant for growing in pots or for the rockery. 1s.

12 distinct varieties for Border, 8s., 12s., 18s., and 24s. per doz.

Pots, 12s., 18s., and 24s. per doz.

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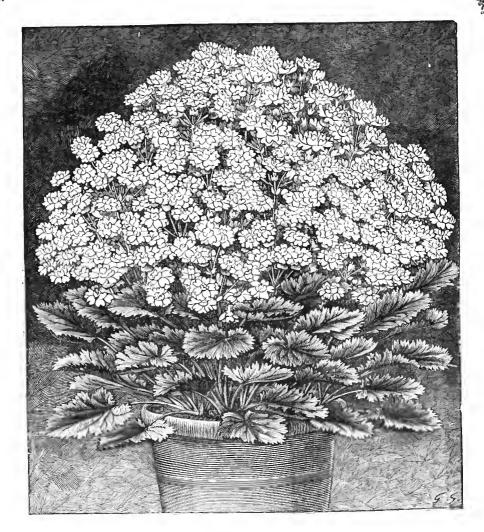
Prim'ula Sinen'sis.

(CHINESE PRIMROSE.)

HE double-flowered varieties of this family rank amongst the most desirable of plants for the decoration of the conservatory or greenhouse during the antumn, winter, and spring months; and, where cut flowers are in general request, are specially valuable, as they retain their beauty for a long time when in a cut state, the flowers never dropping off as with the singleflowering varieties. The white kinds are very fine, and much used for bouquets.

DOUBLE FLOWERED.

We have a large stock of the first-named variety-splendid plants in 5-inch pots, full of flower. For cut flowers more beautiful plants never existed.



DOUBLE WHITE PRIMULA.

R. O. CLANCY, Esq., The Workhouse, Ennistymon, October 17th, 1887.

I duly received the Roses and Primulas, for which I am excessively thankful. Be assured that I shall not fail, whenever opportunity offers, to do what little I can in advertising your things of beauty; it shall be deemed a big pleasure by me.

C. Sferl. Esq., Hamilton Place, Alford, Lincoln, January 14th, 1887.

Thanks for beautiful Prinntla Blooms, they were splendid. Grand strain; seen nothing approaching them before.

W. Girson, Esq., Scone, near Launceston, Tasmania, 2nd April, 1887. The plants per post arrived all alive. The Lawn Mower you sent works beautifully.

ALBA PLENA-White, much used for cut flowers. 1s, and 1s, 6d.

ALBA PLENA FIMBRIATA - Double fringed white; a beautiful variety. 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d.

ATRO-ROSE APLENA-Fine rich erimson, large flower, full petals; extra fine quality. 3s, 6d.

RUBRA GRANDIFLORA - Fine double erimson; fine robust habit. 3s. 6d.

These prices are for small plants during the autumn; for large plants, price on application. A list of other varieties and prices forwarded on application.

Double Pyre'thrums.

Purchasers' selection from the varieties not priced, 8s. per doz.; our selection, 6s. per doz.

ERHAPS for cut flowers no out-door plants are more useful, for at the commencement of the summer they begin to bloom, and continue as long as the weather keeps open; like all other flowers, they delight in having plenty of room, deep rich soil, plenty of manure, and a good soaking in dry weather; treat them thus, and the quantities of aster-shaped blooms will be immense all the summer and antumn.

1. AMPHITRITE - Deep rosy carmine, flowers very double and of good form; very free.

ANDROMEDA—Lilae-rose, with conspicnous yellow anemone-formed centre; fine.

3. ANEMONIFLORUM SANGUINEUM -Rosy carmine, with dull white centre; dwarf and compact.

AURORA—Creamy white, with orange centre, flowers very double. 1s.

- ARGENTINE—Pure white, flowers small, but very double; good habit.
- BEAUTÉ DE LALKEN—Deep erimson,
- Highter anemone-formed centre. 6. BONAMY—Pure white, yellow centre;
- quilled.
- BOULE DE NEIGE—White, slightly tiuted with rose, flowers very double; good lmbit; extra fine. 1s,
- 8. CAPT. NARES-Deep purplish crimson; finely formed; quite distinct.
- 9. CHAMOIS-Light carmine; good habit. 10. CLEOPATRA-Pure white, deep yellow centre, finely quilled; very full and free.

11. COMTE DE MONTBRON—Rose-pink, tipped white, very double, finely quilled.

- 12. DELICATISSIMUM—Bright rosy lilac, with orange centre, flowers very double; extra
- 13. DELICATUM-Pure white, flowers large; good labit and foliage; extra fine.
- 15. DIANA Deep rose, tipped yellow, lighter centre; fine form, good habit.
- 16. DR. LIVINGSTONE-Very pale lilac, centre petals of a deeper colonr; fine. 1s.

17. ÉMILE LEMOINE-Purplish crimson, tipped with golden yellow, conspicuous golden yellow centre, flowers very large and double; line form, very distinct; extra fine. 1s.

18. FULGENS PLENISSIMUM - Light carmine, tipped white, beautifully quilled, flowers large; extra fine. 1s.

19. GAIETY-Rosypink, flowers large; habit dwarf and compact; extra fine. 1s. 6d.

20. GARIBALDI-Beautiful deep crimson, tipped white, ancmone-formed centre; fine flower; good habit. 1s. 6d.

21. GLOIRE D'ITALIE-Deep crimson; fine form; good habit.

22. GRANDE-Deep purplish crimson, anemone-formed centre.

- 23. HAAGE ET SCHMIDT-Outer petals velvety carmine, centre petals deep rose, tipped with white, flowers very double; extra fine. 1s.
- 24. HERMANN STENGER Rosy lilae, centre petals linely quilled, flowers very double, good foliage; habit compact; extra fine. 1s.

25. IMBRICATUM PLENUM-Deep carmine, tipped white.

26, IMPERATRICE CHARLOTTE-White, shaded with rose, yellowish centre; fine,

27. ITURBIDE-Bright purplish carmine, white and rose centre; good habit; extra fine.

28. IVERIANUM - Rosy carmine, flowers large, habit dwarf and compact, good foliage extra fine. 1s.

29. J. N. TWARDY-Purple-earmine, tinted searlet, very double, anemone-formed centre; one of the best.

F. Hagard, Lynton Villa, Truro Road, Bowes Park, London, N., April 30th, 1887. Will you please forward by return the annexed small order, packed in your usual excellent manner? I may add that the seedling Pausies I have received are the best I ever had for the money, and many are now actually showing for bloom, despite the uncongenial weather.

Mr. T. MILLER, The Gardens, Whitley. Beaumont, Huddersfield, February, 1887. The hamper of Violets safe to hand, most splendid plants, past my expectations

LADY BLANCHE-Blush white, tinted lilae.

LADY DERBY-Blush white, slightly 32. tinted lilae, flowers fine and large; good habit.

33. LA VESTALE—Blush white, flowers beautifully formed; very large; extra fine.

34. LE DANTE-Bright shining rose, with orange centre, flowers very large and double, beautifully formed; good habit; extra fine. 1s. 6d.

35. LISCHEN-Lilae-rose, with conspicuous orange centre, flowers very large, very double; good habit; extra fine. 1s. 6d.

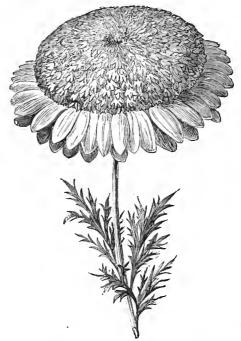
36. LIZZIE MACFARLANE - French white, tinted flesh colour, deeper centre, very double; dwarf habit.

37. MADAME JULES ALDEBERT -Delicate pink, lighter centre; extra fine form.

38. MADAME MUNIER - Rosy blush, flowers large, habit dwarf and compact; extra fine; anemone-formed centre.

39. MDLLE. BENARY - Blush white, deeper centre, finely quilled; good habit.

40. MDLLE. PATTI-Carmine-rose; very large; extra fine.



41. MARQUIS OF BUTE-Deep rosepink, slightly tipped yellow, centre very double, good shape; extra fine.

42. MAXIMUM PLENUM—Deep purplerose, anemone-formed centre; good habit.

MELTON - Deep - crimson-magenta.

fine shape, very double, 2s.

43. MICHAEL BUCHNER - Rich rosy crimson, with orange centre, flowers large, very double, beautifully formed, good habit; extra fine, 1s, 6d.

44. MISS PLINKIE - Purplish crimson, with greyish and lilac-orange centre, flowers very double; fine.

45. MONS. BARRAL - Rosy red; habit d varf and compact, good foliage; extra fine. 1s.

46. MONS. DUVIVIER - Pink - rose, shaded salmon, tipped yellow; very distinct.

47. MONT BLANC-Pure white, very double, flowers large; good habit.
48. MRS. DIX—Deep pink, shaded with

purple, flowers beantifully formed, very double and large; good habit; extra fine. 1s.

49. MULTIFLORUM-Deep crimson, with conspicuous orange centre, flowers large, very

double; extra fine. 1s. 50. NANCY—Blush white, shaded with sal-

mon, yellow centre; habit dwarf and compact; extra fine. 1s. 6d.

51. NEMESIS - Lilac-earmine, yellow centre, flowers very double; habit dwarf; fine. 1s. 6d.

52. NIVEUM PLENUM - Pure white, flowers large, very abundant bloomer; good habit; extra fine. 1s.

53. PANORAMA-Beautiful blush-white,

tipped yellow, dark centre; fine form.

54. PAUL JOURNU—Outer petals pale rose, centre petals cream, shaded with lilae, flowers beautifully quilled; babit dwarf; extra

56. PINNACLE-Delicaterose, very double, flowers large, fine quilled; good babit.

57. PLACIDA-White, tinted flesh colour;

fine form.

- 58. PRINCE OF WALES-Rich purplish crimson, with conspicuous orange anemoueformed centre; fine. 1s. 6d.
- 59. PRINCE TECK-Brilliant crimson, conspicuous orange centre, flowers large, very double; extra fine.
- 61. PRINCESS DE METTERNICH -Pure white, orange centre, flowers large and double; good babit. 1s. 6d.
- 62. REMBRANDT Rosy lilae, tipped wbite; extra fine.
- 63. REV. J. DIX-Rosy earmine, flowers large, very double, beautifully formed; extra
- 64. ROSE PERFECTION—Pale red, centre delicate rose, spotted white; one of the best.

- 65. ROSEUM ALBUM-Light rosy purple, with white centre, flowers large, very double; extra fine.
- 66. ROSY MORN-Delicate blush-white, slightly tipped yellow; heautifully quilled. 1s.
- 67. ROYAL STANDARD Bright rosy erimson, magnificent large double flowers. 1s. 6d.
- 68. RUBRUM PLENUM-Rosy lilae, very double, finely quilled flowers; fine. 1s. 6d.

70. SPECTABILE - Light rose-lilac, flowers large; good form; fine.

- 71. SULPHUREUM PLENUM Blush white, yellow anemone-formed centre; good
- SYLPHIDE—Pure white, finely quilled, 72.large flowers; fine form.
- 73. TITIENS-Delicate rosy pink, with conspicuous orange-yellow anemone-formed centre;
- fine. 1s.
 74. UZZIEL—Deep rosy erimson; very free and fine. 1s.
- 75. VIRGINAL-Pure white, finely quilled;
- fine. 1s. 6d. 76. VOIE LACTÉE—Pare white, suffused delicate pink, centre orange, very double.
- 77. WILHELM KRAMPER-Deep rose, tipped white; very large, fine form; extra fine. .

SINGLE VARIETIES.

- 78. ALBATOS—Deep pink.
- 79. ADRASTES-Light purple, with lines of deeper shade.
 - 80. BELLONA—Rich carmine.
 - CAPRIUS-Rich purple.
 - CARBO—Rosy carmine.
 - CHROMIS-Crimson-purple; fine. 83.
 - DAMIA-Very dark purple. 84.
 - ETHEL-White, tiuted rose.
 - FLORINDA. 86.
 - HAMLET-Rich pink; fine form.
 - 87. ISIS—Rich purple-crimson.
 - JULIET-White, tinged pink.
 - LAWRD-Purple.
 - 90. LETUS-White; large and fine.

- MELON—Rieb pink. 91.
- 92.NABIS.
- NESTOR-Pink. 93.
- 94. OCTAVIA—Rosy pink.
- OPHIS-Dark purple. 95.
- 96. PACCUS—Rich rose.
 - PAMPHOS.
- PRINCESS CHARLOTTE-Rose. 98.
- ROSEUM-Delicate piuk; distinct. 99.SHERLOCK-Vividerimson-scarlet; fine
- UTICA—Purplish rose. 100.
- VALERIA—White. 101.
- VALENTIA—Very pale pink. 102.
- VISTULA—Flesh. 103.
- ZEITHEN-Wbite, tinged pink. 104.

1s. each; 9s. per doz.

Although these cannot be supplied as cuttings, plants may be transmitted by post to any part.

Mr. Newell, Gardens, Fairlawn, Wimbledon Common. Your Primula Seeds produced a splendid batch, and the Single Dahlias from the small packet I had were admired by everyone. Who would trouble to save Tubers all through the winter when such splendid varieties may be obtained from your seeds?

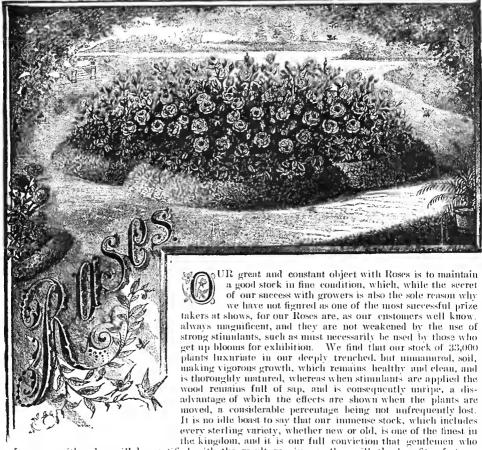
Major Locuser, Olney, Bucks. March 28th, 1887. I congratulate you on your Begonia Seed, having a hundred or mere pricked off a fortnight doing well; when some seed I had from another firm nearer London, put in same time, in every respect under similar circumstances, not one plant have I got.

Mr. S. A. Woods, The Gardens, Osberton Hall, Worksop, Notts, April 21st, 1887. Begonia Seed done remarkably well.

LIST OF ALL THE

BEST ROSES IN CULTIVATION.

FIVE ACRES—THOUSANDS IN POTS.



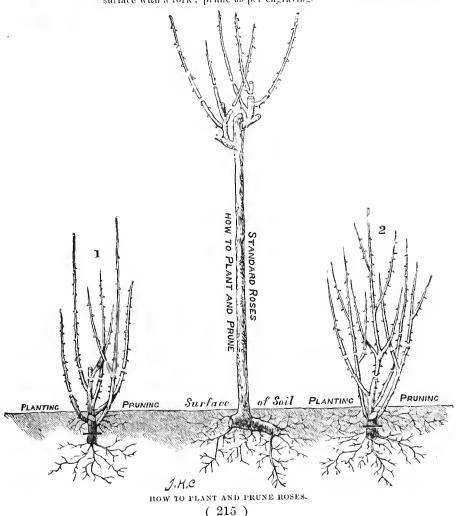
favour us with orders will be gratified with the result, reaping, as they will, the benefits of strong and well-matured plants. All lovers of Roses (and who is not one?) are cordially invited to inspect our collection, especially when in flower, when they can make a selection to their own liking, and when they will be surprised at the way in which Roses thrive at Swanley. We have planted an additional acre this year in addition to the five we previously had, besides which we grow thousands in pots, for forcing. &c.

DIRECTIONS FOR PLANTING AND PRUNING.

When Roses are to be placed singly in small beds on lawns, a hole should be dug three feet deep and the same width, and filled up with a wheelbarrow-full of good compost, two-thirds of which should be strong turfy loam from an old pasture, and the balance well-decomposed animal manure. Never place manure near the roots; let it be some distance away from them, when, if they feel the want of it they will grow to it

When beds are to be planted, the ground should be thoroughly dug eighteen to twenty-four inches deep, as the nature of the soil will admit, intermixing some of the above compost. If this be done well, the beds will last several years, with occasionally a dressing of manure.

If a piece of ground is set apart for the exclusive cultivation of Roses, the most open situation should be selected; if wet it should be well drained; this done, the ground should be trenched to the depth recommended above (be particular that the surface soil is kept on the top when finished), when beds may then be formed according to taste and circumstances. November is the best month for transplanting, although with care they will do well up to the middle of March. Plant after preparing the soil as above, make it level, take out sufficient to let the roots down, say four to five inches below level, walk over the soil to consolidate it—if a Standard, drive down a substantial stake, place Rose against it—spread out roots naturally, sprinkle fine soil over roots, cover all over level, and tread down firmly, smoothing surface with a fork; prime as per engraving.



See separation just below surface-line in the two dwarf Roses: this shows how they can be got on to their own roots when budded on any stock; the original roots will waste away. There are many advantages in deep planting.

About the first week in March is the best time to prane established plants of Hybrid Perpetuals,

and the last week in April the best time for Teas.

In pruning, if the shoots grow vigorously and thick, some should be cut out entirely, and others left long, from six to eighteen inches is a good average, but moderately strong growth should be cut back, so as to leave three to six bads on each shoot. The secret of getting newly-bought Roses to thrive is to prune them as per illustration No. 1. directly they arrive; but, in the case of a novice, we advise his requesting the nurseryman to prune them before despatching them. Fig. 2 shows how

to prune Roses the second year after planting.

If a tree be taken up and transplanted when at rest, the roots are inert, nor do they move for some time; consequently, if a large top be left on the plant, it is quite out of proportion to the life-giving properties of the root, the result being that the green wood becomes stanted, turns yellow, and probably dies from sheer starvation. It is therefore obvious that the less upper growth the roots have to maintain at such a time the better for what wood there is, and the stronger will be the growths the plant will make when the roots commence their functions, and, a fortion, the finer will be the blossoms produced.

► Buds averaging from 2d. to 3d. each; new kinds in proportion to the prices quoted for trees.

PRICES OF ROSES.

When the selection is left to ns:-

Standards and Half-Standards, best sorts, and well varied, 10s. to 15s. per dozen; £5 per 100. Dwarf on the Briar, extra strong good varieties, 9s. per dozen; £3 10s. per 100.

Dwarf Teas, varieties, from open ground, 12s. per dozen; £4 per 100.

Amateurs selecting their own are respectfully requested to add to their orders a few supplementary sorts, lest by previous orders the stock of any particular variety should be exhausted, this being especially necessary late in the season.

NEW ROSES.

NEW VARIETY FOR 1888.

DUCHESS OF ALBANY, H.P.-In the way of La France, but deeper in colour, more expanded in form, and larger in size. The flowers are deep, even pink, very large and full, highly perfumed, and in all respects of first quality; growth is exceedingly vigorous, habit good, and the flowers which are thrown up well above the foliage are produced in extraordinary profusion; it is thought that this rose when generally cultivated will rank equal with Lo France, as it is a gorgeous garden rose, and at the same time of splendid quality as an exhibition flower. Plants will be ready in May, price 10s. 6d. cach,

EARL OF DUFFERIN, H.P.—Early and late bloomer, rich brilliant velvety crimson, shaded maroon; large and full. Awarded six First-Class Certilicates. Dwarfs, 7s. 6d.

GRAND MOGUL, H.P.—Deep rich crimson, shaded scarlet and black, large and full. growth vigorous, foliage is large and massive. First Class Certificates. Dwarfs, 7s, 6d, each.

LADY HELEN STEWART, H.P.-Stont creet wood, thick handsome foliage, bright

crimson-scarlet, petals of great substance. Dwarfs, 5s.

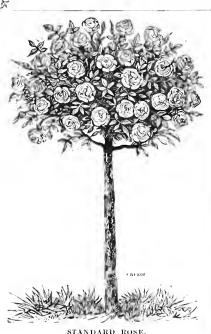
MISS ETHEL BROWNLOW (Tea)—Bright salmon pink, shaded yellow at base of petals, foliage rich and handsome. Awarded four First-Class Certificates. Dwarfs, 5s.

MRS. J. LAING, H.P.-Soft pink, in colour in the way of Milme G. Luizet; large, finely

shaped, and very fragrant; early and free. 7s, 6d.
SILVER QUEEN, H.P.—Silvery blush, shaded in the centre with delicate rosy pink; distinct and levely. Dwarfs, 7s. 6d.

THE PURITAN, H.T.—Buds in opening are slightly yellow, changing to pure white as they expand; of great substance and very sweet. First-Class Certificate. 7s. 6d.

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STANDARD ROSE,

THE METEOR, H.T.—Rich dark velvety crimson, good bloomer, vigorous and healthy in growth. 7s. 6d.

CHAS. DICKENS, H.P., Garden Rose -Rose colour, large and full, a profuse bloomer; a grand garden and bedding Rose. Dwarfs, 2s. 6d.

FLORENCE PAUL, H.P., Garden Rose Searlet-crimson, very bright and free; large, full and compact. Dwarfs, 2s. 6d.

INIGO JONES, H.P., Show Rose -Dark rose, shaded purple; a grand dark Rose for exhibition or the garden. Dwarfs, 2s. 6d.

BRILLIANT, H.P., Button-Hole Rose -Bright scarlet-crimson, petals of great substance. Dwarfs, 2s. 6d.

TEA-THE BRIDE-A pure white sport from Catherine Mermet, possessing all the excellent qualities of its parent. Standards, 3s. 6d.; dwarfs. 2s, 6d.

CLIMBING PRIDE OF WALTHAM, H.P. -- Light salmon-pink, same flowers as the type, but the plant has a vigorous habit, which will render it of much value in April. Standards. 2s.; dwarfs, 1s. 6d.

HER MAJESTY, H.P.—Is a cross between the Hybrid Perpetual, Mahel Morison, and Tea Scented, Canary. Its immense size, perfect symmetry, and exquisite colouring, combine to make it the Rose. It is of most vigorous growth and entirely hardy. Dwarfs, 2s.; standards, 3s. 6d.

In the column of Catalogue, describing the habit of growth, the following abbreviations are used:-Vig.-For vigorous; varieties which produce long vigorous shoots, most of them adapted for Pillar Roses. Free.—Varieties which are free growers, making large heads. Mod.—For moderate; varieties forming medium compact heads. The kinds marked thus (*) are of free growth and well suited for planting in the vicinity of large towns. Those suitable to grow as Pot roscs, P. F., varieties best suited for forcing; C., Climbers.

AUTUMNAL ROSES.

IN BLOOM FROM JUNE UNTIL NOVEMBER.

HYBRID PERPETUALS.

S dwarfs, for pot culture, they are quite unequalled, flowering with certainty when forced. With a careful selection of sorts, and proper management, they may be kept in bloom every month in the year.

Those marked e may safely be depended upon for exhibition purposes.

N.B.—Where Price of Standard or Dwarf is not affixed, the variety cannot be supplied as such this season.

			Stde	3. D	wfs	
Name.		Habit.	Description. 8.	d. s.	d	
*c Abel Carrière	 	PF Vig.	strong grower, rich velvety maroon, fine			
		0	flowers; first-rate 1	3 - 1	. ()
*c Antoine Mouton	 	r free	fine rose; very large, full, and fine 1	3 1	()
ABBÉ BRAMEREL	 	mod.	reddish crimson, shaded velvety purple 1	3 1	. ()

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	abit.	Description.	Sto		Dwi	
eAlbert Paye		flowers large, delicate flesh-rose	1	3	1	0
*Annie Laxton pf	vig.	deep rose, flushed with light pink; distinct		0		^
*e ABEL GRAND PF	via	and fine beautiful silvery rose, glossy and clear; extra		3	1	0
*eAlfred Colomb PF		bright carmine-red; large and fine	1	3	1 1	0
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	0	perfect form; a grand exhibition flower	t	3	1	0
	free	pure bright rose; large flower	1	\mathbf{g}	1	0
*Antoine Ducher	vig.	dark purplish red; very large, fine form,				
. *		good Rose	1	3	1	0
eAuguste Rigotard F		clierry-red; large, good deep form	1	3	1	0
*Annie Alexieff cpf *eAvocat Duvivier of Maré-)	vig.	hright pink; not large	1	3	1	0
CHAL VAILLANT CPF	vig.	deep crimson; very rich in colour, large, full, and of fine form	1	3	1	0
BARON NATHANIEL DE ROTES-)		bright crimson, without shading; large and	1	0	1	U
CIIILD	•••	full	1	3	1	0
BARONNE N. DE ROTHSCHILD		silvery rose, large and double	٠.,		i	0
*e Bessie Jounson P	vig.	blush-white, very fragrant; good shaped				
		Rose		3	1	0
*eBaron DE BONSTETTEN OF	vig.	very large, red, crimson, and velvety black	1	3	1	Ð.
MONS. DUNCENNECF)			•			
	vig.	reddish carmine, sweet scented	,	.,,	1	6
	vig.	light crimson, large, full; fine Rose bright cherry-red large and full; good	1	3	1	0
	vig.	pure white, flowers small; good form	î	3	i	ő
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*e Chas, Darwin рг	vig.	deep crimson, with a brownish tint, and				
40 7 16		slightly shaded violet	1	3	1	0
*Climbing Jules Margottin C		bright cherry-red	••		1	()
*eContesse de Serexye pr	vig.	light shaded rose, very large; form of Centi-	,	0	,	
*eCamille Bernardin PF	via	folia; compact; a fine light variety beautiful bright red, bordered white; full		3	1	0
COAMIDED DERVARDING IF	118.	and fine		3	1	0
*eCentifolia rosea PF	vig.	bright clear rose; very large and full		3	1	ö
*eCharles Lefenvre, or Mar-)	0	,	•		_	
	vig.	fine brilliant velvet-crimson; large, cupped	1	3	1	0
JAMAIN PF)						
eClotilde Roland FP		beautiful cherry-rose; fine form, large, early		3	1	0
Comte Raimbaud	vig.	bright crimson; fine shape and form; one of		0		
Comtesse de Mortemarte	vig.	the best fine clear rose; large and full	1	3	- 1	0
	free	splendid pink; beautiful babit	1	$\frac{3}{3}$	1	0
4.3	vig.	bright earmine-red; large and full; fine form		3	1	0
~	vig.	eolour reddish salmon, shell-like petals of			_	
		the Etienne Levet type	1	3	1	0
eCaptain Christy PF	vig.	delicate flesh-coloured, rose in the centre;				
-D		grand,	1	3	1	0
eDirecteur Alphand	vig.	deep blackish purple, brownish shading, and			-	0
eDuchess of Bedford f	vig.	bright blushes; good form rich velvet-erimson, suffased scarlet, petals		•	1	6
	ν.δ.	reflexed; large, and of fine form; free	1	3	1	0
Duchess of Edinnurgh	vig.	light silvery peach; full		$\ddot{3}$	î	ő
● Duchesse de Vallembrosa PF	vig.	rose, bright pink centre; free, vigorous,			-	
7)		and good	1	3	1	0
eDuc de Montpensier	vig.	red, shaded crimson, velvety; large and				
#a Doomnun Aynus	£	regular in ontline	1	3	1	0
Maria Maria	free	bright red; imbricated; large and double		3	1	0
	vig. vig.	bright red; very large and full; very fine dark claret, fine enpped form; quite distinct		3	$\frac{1}{1}$	0
	vig.	maroon-erimson, back of petals bright red;	T	3	1	0
	-0-	large and full; distinct and beautiful	1	3	1	0
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Name.		Habit.	vivid crimson, darker as the flower expands	$\frac{d}{2}$		8. 0	6
DUKE OF ALBANY e DUKE OF WELLINGTON	•••	F mod.		_	3		ö
eDuke of Teck	•••	rr	bright crimson-searlet; elear and distinct,				
epoke of leck	•••		fine globular pointed flower; very free	1	3	1	0
*eDuke of Edinburgh	7	ecr vig.	fine vermilion; large, full, and good shaped	1	3	1	0
*eDupuy Jamain		pr vig.	very bright cerise; large, full, and fine form	-	3	1	0
*e Duke of Connaught	•••	rr vig.	bright rich velvety crimson; exquisite shape	_	3	1	0
e DEVIENNE-LAMY	• • •	vig.	dark reddish crimson; large		3	1	0
EARL OF PEMBROKE	•••	***	soft velvety crimson, margin of petals bright red	1	6	1	0
Eclair	• • •	vig.	very bright scarlet, reflexed form; good; free		6 3	i	0
*e Egeria	•••	PF vig.	bright rosy pink; a good show flower		ð	î	0
Ella Gordon	•••		bright cherry colonr, large and full bright red, large and well formed	1	6	i	ö
ETANDARD DE LYON	•••	c vig.	bright rosy pink; very large and full	٠		1	0
*Elizabeth Vigneron Elise Böelle	• • • •	vig.	white, centre peach; medium size	1	3	1	0
e Elise Morel	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	pr vig.	rosy lilae; very large, full and perfect form	1	3	1	0
*e Epol'ard Morren		rr vig.	deep cherry-rose, in the way of Jules Mar-		•		
CIMOLARIA MARKA	•••		gottin, but of a fresher and more delicate				
			colour, of better form, and much larger;	_			
			very fine	1	3	1	0
e Emilie Hausburg	•••	PF vig.	soft lose, edged white; fine form	1	3	1	0
Empress of India	• • •	vig.	dark brownish crimson; most distinct and	1	3	1	0
			large	1	.)	1	O
*EMILY LAXTON	• • •	PF vig.	in the way of Monsieur Noman, but of a rich cherry-rose; strong vigorous habit	1	3	1	0
T			nearly thornless, free flowering, finestearmine	î	3	î	ŏ
e Etienne Levet	•••	rr vig.	bright scarlet; large, full, and fine form		3	1	0
e Exposition de Brie e Ferdinand de Lessers		PF	see Maurice Bernardin.				
eFisher Holmes		rr vig.	magnificent scarlet-red; imbricated, large	1	3	1	0
FRANCISQUE RIVE	•••	vig.	bright cherry-red, shaded earmine; a long				
·			pointed flower	•••	•	1	6
François Levet	•••	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	earmine; globular, free, suitable for garden	1	3	1	0
			fine deep rose, reverse of petals silvery; grand	1	3	î	ŏ
*eFrançois Michelon	•••	rr vig.	brilliant red; large, good bedder	î	3	î.	0
*eGÉNÉRAL JACQUEMINOT GEORGE BAKER	•••	re vig.	pure lake with cerise, globular form; fine				
GEORGE DAKER	• • • •	, ,8,	antumnal	1	3	1	0
GEORGE MOREAU		vig.	shaded red; extra large, fine deep flower	1	3	1	0
GLOIRE DE BOURG LA R	EINE		brilliant searlety red; large and full; a fine		n		^
			Rose	T	3	1	0
GLORY OF CHESHUNT	•••	Р	rich shaded crimson, very bright and vivid;	1	3	1	0
~ ~			large, full, and of good form early and late flowering, light crimson,	1	v	•	Ü
Grandeur of Cheshun	Т	I'F	shaded rose; very large and distinct	1	6	1	0
GUILLAUME GUILLEMOT		vig.	light rosy carmine, pale silvery under petals,				
GUILLAGME GUILLEMOT	• • • •	*** ''.5'	globular and good; early	1	3	1	0
Heinrich Schultheis			delicate pink, sweet scented	1	3	1	0
e HIPPOLYTE JAMAIN		PF	bright rose, shaded earmine; large, full, and	1	0	1	0
			good form	1	3	1	U
e Harrison Weir	•••	vig.	beantiful rich velvety crimson, eulivened with scarlet; perfect form	1	3	1	0
77		uia	light tinted flesh, changing to white; large	•	v	_	
HELEN PAUL	•••	rr vig.	fine globular flower; free in habit	1	3	1	0
*e Horace Vernet		r mod	. reddish purple, shaded with light crimson	1	3	1	0
eJEAN LIABAUD		FPC vig.	velvet-crimson, carmine reflexed, shaded			_	
	•••		violet ; ;;; ;:-	1	3	1	0
*Jean Soupert		mod	. carmine crimson, shaded scarlet and black,	1	0	1	0
			changing to purple; large and full	1	3	1	U
*e John Bright	•••	•••	bright crimsou, form perfectly round, with large even outer petals; good	1	3	1	0
# . Y C		nn sic	bright clear red, beautiful form, fine shell	-	_	-	
*e John Stuart Mill	•••	PF vig.	petal; fine flower	1	3	1	0
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Name. Habit.	Description.	Stds		Dwf 8.	
*e John Hopper pr vig.	fine brilliant rosy crimson; large, full				ö
*e Jules Margottin fcp vig.	cherry-pink; large and superb; one of the	1 0			v
	best	1 :	3	1	0
JULES FINGER	salmon-pink, deeper centre, in the way of		_	•	•
	Captain Christy; large, full, and fine	1 :	3	1	0
eLe Havre vig.	vermilion-red; large and full, lasting	i :		i	ŏ
LADY OF THE LAKE	peach colour	1 (ì	ŏ
*eLa France PF vig.	bright lilac-rose, centre silvery white, petals	•••		1	0
	large, fine form; extra large and full; fine	1 8	2	1	0
e La Rosière	see Prince C. de Rohan.		,		U
Longfellow yig.					
2000112200	violet-crimson. in the way of Chas. Lefebvre,	1 /	9	1	()
eLord Beaconsfield vig.	but more violet in colour	1 (3	1	0
e LORD DEACONSFIELD vig.	blackish crimson, flowers very large and	, ,		4	0
LORD BACON	double; a grand exhibition Rose			1	0
Tone E Commence	deep crimson, shaded black; full			ļ.	0
	bright scarlet, globular; finely finished	1 (,	1	0
elady Sheffield vig.	bright rosy pink, distinct colour and good			_	
«Louis Doné	exhibition bloom	1 8	3	1	0
e Louis Doré	cherry-red, shaded with purple; large and of	_		_	
Torran Business - r	fine form; free-flowering			1	0
e Louise Peyronny, or Lelia vig.	fine glossy rose; large and superb	1 :	3	1	0
e Louis Van Houtte F mod.	reddish scarlet and amaranth, shaded with				
35 35	bluish purple; very large and full	1 :)	1	0
Mabel Morrison vig.	similar to Baroness Rothschild, differing from				
NF	that variety in the llowers being pure white	1 :	3	1	0
e Madame Eugène Verdier P vig.	fine rose, with bright silver shading, large				
	flowers with fine petals; good	1 1	3	Į.	0
Madame Norman-Neruda vig.	in the way of Beauty of Waltham, but a				
	lighter cherry-red; medium size, good form	1 (1	1	0
*e Madame Prosper-Laugier pf	bright rose llowers, very large, perfect shape,				
	large petals	1 8	3	1	0
MADAME WILLSON	large petals	î (ĩ	Õ
e Miss Hassard vig.	delicate pink; line, distinct Rose		3	1	0
*e Marguerite Brassac	see Chas. Lefebure.			-	
Marguerite de Roman	pale flesh colour, darker towards centre	1 (;	1	0
*Mademoiselle Annie Wood vig,	beautiful clear red; superb and effective	$\hat{1}$ 3		î	ŏ
e Mademoiselle Bonnaire mod.	white, centre pink; flowers medium size; free	1 8		î	ŏ
e Mademoiselle Eugenie Verdier pf vig.	bright flesh-colonred rose, the reverse of the		•	•	.,
	petals silvery white; very large and full	1 3	3	1	0
*e Mademoiselle Marie Rady, or	provide the first the firs	1 0		•	•
COMTESSE DE CHOISEUL PF vig.	bright red; very large and full	1 8	₹ .	1	0
*e Magna Charta PF vig.	bright pink, suffused carmine; good	1 8		í	ŏ
Моме. Монтет vig.	light pink, large petals; line and good			î	0
	magenta-carmine, shaded erimson; free-	1 6	,	1	()
	llowering	1 8	?		
e Madame Nachury p vig.	fine satin rose; very large and full	1		1	0
*e MADAME CHARLES CRAPELET P vig.	light crimson; large and full; extra good	î		î	ŏ
	crimson, shaded with purple; very large and	1 .	,	-	U
The state of the s	of great substance; flowers abundantly	1 3	,	ı	0
Mrs. C. Swalles free	flush onlour vestals broad	1 (
35 (3.3)	flesh colour, petals broad	1 (1	0
* MADANE CLEVENCE JOICE)	satiny pink, large	1 (;	1	0
**e MADAME CLEMENCE JOIG- VIG. NEAUX FCP	rose, shaded with lilac; very large and	1 /	>	1	0
4 37	full	1 .		1	0
37 37	beautiful satin pink; very large and double	1 6		1	0
	bright llesh-rose, deeper centre	1 :		1	0
	bright rose; beautifully imbricated; dwarf	1		1	0
	white; very large; first-class show llower	1 :		1	0
N	delicate pink; large and full; extra	1 :	3	1	0
eMadame la Baronne de 1 mod.	beautiful bright rose, shaded with white	1 :	3	1	0
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MADAME SOPHIE FROPOT	beautiful bright clear rose; large and fine,				
	Centifolia torm	1 :	3	1	0
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Name. Habit.	Description.	8.		8.	
*e MADAME VICTOR VERDIER FCP vig.	beautiful cherry-rose; large and full; fine	1	3	1.	0
MADAME VIDOT vig.	transparent flesh; most beautifully formed	1	3	1	0
*e MADAME HIPPOLYTE JAMAIN vig.	white, lightly tiuted rose; extra large; fine	1	3	1	0
*e MARCHIONESS OF EXETER PF vig.	clear rose, flushed light elierry-rose; very				
9.	sweet	1	3	1	0
*e Maréchal Vaillant	see Avocat Duvivier.				
*eMarguerite de St. Amand pr free	magnificent white-pink; very large and full	1	3	1	0
Masterpiece vig.	bright rosy crimson; flowers very large, full,				
11. 11. 11. 11. 11. 11. 11. 11. 11. 11.	and fine globular form; good habit	1 :	3	1	0
MAY TURNER vig.	pale salmon-rose, reverse of petals of a deeper	_	-		
MAI TOWNER	colonr; large and full; habit erect	1	3	1	0
MERVEILLE DE LYON	beautiful satiny white, pink centre; very	-		•	•
MERVEILLE DE DIOS	large, fine flower	t	6	1	0
Mar Disassa		r.	.,	,	U
eMrs. Baker vig.	lively carmine-red, shaded crimson; raised	1	3	1	0
M II (II)	from Victor Verdier	1	O.	1	U
Mrs. II. Turner	dazzling crimson-scarlet, with rich maroon				
	shading; very bright, free, good garden	1	8	1	0
	Rose	-			
e Marie Badmann PF vig.	bright light crimson; large, full, fine, and good	1	3	1	0
MARY BENNETT	rosy cerise; fine for forcing	1	G	1	0
*eMaurice Berlandin or Fer- \ vig.	crimson, beautifully shaded with violet;	,	0		^
DINAND DE LIESSEPS P)	fine beautiful bright rose, the reverse of the	1	3	1	0
*eMonsieur Etienne Dupuy P vig.	beautiful bright rose, the reverse of the			1	0
	petals silvery; large, full, fine form	-	8	1	
*e Monsieur Noman PF vig.	delicate rose colour, bordered with white		3	1	0
e Monsieur E. Y. Teas vig.	dazzling deep cherry-red; large and beautiful	1 4	33	1	0
*e Monsieur Boncenne	see Baron de Bonstettin.		0		^
e Marquise de Castellane Pr vig.	beautiful pure rose; very large and full	L ·	3	1	0
Mrs. Jowitt wg.	bright crimson, shaded with lake; very large,				
	globular; a bold well-built flower of great				0
	substance; good form	1	3	1	0
e Mrs. Laxton mod.	bright rosy crimson of perfect globular form;	4 .	0		0
	large and full; a great acquisition		3	1	0
e Oxonian vig.	shaded rose; a magnificent show flower	1 4	3	1	0
*e Paul Jamain	sec Charles Lefebvre				
e Penelope Mayo, or Duchesse vig.	brilliant carmine-red, a large flower of great	1	0	1	Λ
DE CAYLUS }	substance and perfect form	Τ .	3	1	0
PRIDE OF REIGATE	a sport from Countess of Oxford, with flowers	,	(*		Λ
	spotted and striped	1	б	1	0
Pride of Waltham vig.	light salmon-pink, large well-formed flowers,				
	growth of Comtesse d'Oxford; first-class	, ,			0
	Rose	Ι .	3	1	0
Perfection des Blanches vig.	beautiful pure white, of medium size, full,	1 (n	1	0
	in the form of Centifolia	1 (Ð	1	0
*Préfet Limbourg vig.	dark velvety red, shaded with violet; large	1 .	o .	1	0
	and full	1 :	D	1	0
Président Senélar vig.	reddish cerise, shaded maroon; large	•••		1	6
ePrincess Beatrice PF vig.	deep pink colour, fine form, fine flower;	7	0	1	0
	good garden variety pure white; good form, small	1 1	3	1	0
Perle des Blanches vig.	pure white; good form, small	1 1	3	1	0
*e Paul Neyron P vig.	dark rose, fine form; large and full		3	1	0
*e Pierre Notting PF vig.	dark red; very large, full and globular	Τ .	3	1	0
ePrince Arthur vig.	rich deep crimson, of medium size, and ex-		0		
	eelleut form	1	3	1	0
*ePrince Camille De Rohan free	velvety crimson; large, full, and superb	1 :	3	1	0
or LA ROSIERE PF)			0		0
*Princess Louise Victoria c vig.	fine creeping Rose; light good flower	1	3	1	0
*ePrincess Mary of Cam-	beautiful bright pale rose; large and full	1 :	3	1	0
introduction in the second	•				
PROSPER LAUGIER	scarlet-red, perfect form	_	6	1	0
Queen Victoria vig.	white, shaded pink; large and double; superb		6	1	0
Queen of Queens	pink, blush edges; large and fall	Ŧ	6	1	0
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Rosièriste Jacobs	rig.	bright velvety red, dark shading, sometimes			
D P		violet; very free	1 3	1 0	
REINE BLANCHE e RICHARD WALLACE	vig. P vig.	white, very slightly tinted with rose; large	1 3	$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array}$	
	P vig.	flowers full, very well formed, bright Rose fine dark; best dark Rose		$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{array}$	
eSir Garnet Wolselry		fine vermilion, shaded earmine; very large,	1 0	1. 0	
COM GARRIE WOLDS		five form, five Rose	1 3	1 0	
*eSTAR OF WALTHAM	vig.	bright carmine, good shape; large and full		1 0	
	CF vig.		1 3	1 0	
*e Sénateur Vaisse	Pr vig.	fine dazzling red; large, full, and extra fine	1 3	1 0	
Souvenir de Spa		deep erimson, with scarlet reflex		1 0	
Souvenir de la Reine d	'An-}	vivid rose colour; very large and double	1 3	1 0	
GLETERRE		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			
Souvenir de Léon Game	ETTA vig.	dark cherry-rose; large full flower, very	1 9	1 0	
SOUVENIR DE MADAME VIO	erop)	desimble	1 3	1 0	
VERDIER	vig.	bright red, shaded carmine; large and full	• • •	1 0	
e Sophie Coquerell		blush, eentre flesh; very large and full	1 3	1 0	
eTHOMAS MILLS		flowers extra large, full, and of fine cup	-		
		shape; colour dazzling bright rosy car-			
		mine, with whitish stripes	1 3	1 . 0	
Ulrich Brunner	rr vig.	cherry-crimson; large flowers and splendid			
		petals; grand	1 3	1 0	
Victor Hugo		rich crimson-red, sbaded purple, large			
*eVICTOR VERDIER		beautiful deep carmine; large and well formed	1 3	1 0	
VIOLEITE BOWYER	vig.	white, slightly tinted, almost pure white:			
		large, round, globular flowers; splendid	1 3	1 0	
WHITE BARONESS		habit, extra fine	1 6	1 0	
	vig.	pure pink, a sport from Mdme. C. Joigneux,	,	1 (/	
,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		keeping true : distinct and pretty	1 3	1 0	
«XAVIER OLIBO	F mod.	velvety black, shaded with amaranth; large			
		and fine	1 3	1 0	
TEA-SCEN	NTED A	ND HYBRID TEA-SCENTED.			
e Alba Rosea or Mome. Br.	VY PF mod.	white; large and full	2 0	1 6	
e Adam	mod.	rosy pink	•••	1 6	
e Amazone	PF vig.	deep yellow, of good form, reverse of petals			
Andre Schwartz		rose	•••	a	
		deep scarlet; free deep carmine-rose, edged white, full	•••	$\begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 6 \end{array}$	
	vig.	flesh colour; large, full, good flower	2 0	$\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 6 \\ 1 & 6 \end{array}$	
D ()		deep vellow, shaded pink on back of petals;	4 0	1 0	
	•••	large		2 0	
BEAUTÉ DE L'EUROPE	vig.	rich yellow of the Gloire de Dijon race, but			
		globular: good	2 6	1 6	
BEAUTY OF STAPLEFORD	mod.	pink, with deeper centre	2 - 0	1 6	
	F vig.	beautiful yellow; large and full	2 - 0	1 6	
*e Belle Lyonnaise		deep canary-yellow, tinted with salmon :	2 - 0	1 6	
Camoens	vig.	bright China-rose, pretty in bnd, and most	o "	. ~	
C. many Many	f	valuable as a garden or cutting Rose		1 6	
~ .	PF free	delicate flesh colour; large, fine show flower	2 0	1 6	
OHAS. DE MEGRADI	•••	carmine, passing to Chinese-pink, large and		1 6	
*e CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS	vig.	flowers identical with the old <i>Devoniensis</i> ,	•••	1 0	
Communication of the Communica	,18.	but more rapid growth; valuable	2 0	1 6	
CLOTHILDE SOUPERT	vig.	rose colour of Gloire de Dijon race, opening			
		well		1 6	
e Cheshunt Hybrid	FCP	cherry-earmine; fine pillar Rose	1 6	1 6	
Comtesse Ouvaroff		delicate cream, suffused pink		1 6	
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COMTESSE DE NADAILLAC	PF vig.	free-flowering, large, globular, very lively	u.	• • •	~•
COMITED IN ANTICOM		clear rose	2 0	1	6
Compesse Riza du Parc		beautiful metallic rose, changing to piuk;	2 0		0
COMPESSE HIZE DU LARS	•••	large, full, and good form	2 0	1	6
Courses on Donners			ں د	1	O
Countess of Pembroke	•••	soft siting pink, beautifully scented; good	0 0		
TO 10		form	2 0		6
eDavid Pradel	vig.	rose colour; large and full	•••		6
		not very full, but of fine form, shaded peach	• • •		0
e Duchess of Edinburgu	F vig.	erimson; a most desirable colour; fine form !	2 -6	1	6
Dechess of Westminster	mod.	bright cerise	2 0	1	G
Duke of Connaught	mod.	velvety crimson creamy white; large and beautiful		1	6
e Devoniensis	PF vig.	creamy white: large and beautiful !	2 6	1	6
ETANDARD DE JEANNE D'ARÔ		creamy white, changing to pure white;			
231111111111111111111111111111111111111		good shape	2 6	1	6
e Etoile de Lyon	wice	bright sulplur-yellow, almost perfect shape;	2 ()		•
e ETOILE DE LITON	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		0 0	,	e
73		one of the best Ten Roses ever sent out	2 6	ı	6
Fiançailles de la Princess		salmon, tinted with yellow; another of the	_		
	5	Gloire de Dijon Rose	1 6		6
*eGLOIRE DE DIJON	FCP vig.	buff, orange centre; fine foliage, very hardy	1. 6	1	0
Grace Darling		base of petals creamy white, tinted and			
		shaded pinkish peach, large	2 6	1	6
*Homère	Р	biush, deeper centre; free and hardy; beau-			
***************************************		tiful in the bud	2 0	1	6
Hon, George Bancroft	mod	rosy crimsou, tiuted purple	$\frac{1}{2} = 0$		Ğ.
			2 ()		0
Isabella Sprunt	PF vig.	sulphur-yellow, an abundant bloomer, beau-	0 (, ,	0
*		tiful in bud	2 6	; 1	G
eInnocente Purola	₽₽ vig.	pure white, sometimes slightly tinted pink;			
		very large and full	2 6	5 1	G
eJean Ducher	PF vig.	salmou-yellow, shaded rose-peach; globular	2 - 6	3 1	6
LADY MARY FITZWILLIAM		large, globular, and full; delicate flesh colour	2 - 0	1	6
e Letty Coles	PF vig.	fine bright pink, quite a new colour; free		i i	6
eMarie Guillot	vig.	beautiful white, tinted yellow; large, full			6
Manage Denistra					
	;	rich salmon			6
e Madame Denis	vig.	white, sulphur centre; large, full, and fine			6
e Madame Camelle	PF vig.	delicate rose, veined yellow, reflexed white	2 6		G
e Madame Jules Margotten	vig.	delicate rose, veilow base, centre deep red	2 - 6	3 1	6
e Marie Van Houtte	my vig.	flowers yellowish white, edged with rose	2 - 6	5 1	6
Marte Ducher		delicate flesh colour	2 - 6	1	6
Marie Paré	mod.			3	6
MADAME CHEDANE GUINOISS		very bright yellow both inside and out; of	_		
MADAME CHEDANE OF INGINA	15.40 Tigi	exquisite colour and shape		1	6
Marana Cum	**1.4	was supple vellow logg to each vetal courte	•••	- 1	O
Madame Cusix	vig.	rose-purple, yellow base to each petal; quite	0 0		
		novel and very desirable	$\frac{2}{2}$		6
Madame Falcot		dark apricot, larger and better than Safrano	2 0	; 1	6
Madame Joseph Schwartz	vig.	white, tinted bright rose at edge of petals,			
		exquisite in colouring ; good form	• • •	1	6
e Madame Margottin	rr vig.	dark citron-yellow, centre rosy peach	2 6	; 1	6
e Madame Hippolyte Jamais		white, centre copper colour; very novel	2 0	; 1	6
MADAME EUGENE VERDIER		a new shade of deep yellow, of the Gloire de			
MADINIO MEGDID TIME		Dijon type; good form	2 (; 2	0
MADAME DE WATTEVILLE		white, slightly shaded salmon; large and full			
	•••			_	0
Molle, Alex, Bruel		a white seedling from Gloire de Dijon, large	•••	2	0
e Madame Welch	vig.	pale yellow, deep orange centre; very large			
		and well formed		; 1	6
e Madame Willermoz	PF free	white, with salmon centre; first-class Rose	2 - 0) 1	6
MISS MAY PAUL	vig.	red outside, with libac inside; good shape			6
e Moiret	free	eream colour; fine Rose		1	6
Narcisse		sulphur-yellow, deeper centre; large	2 6		6
a Name 1000	DE MOU	beautiful white; one of the finest Tea Roses	2 (
e Nipheros					6
e Perle des Jardins	vig.	straw colour, very fine; one of the very best		-	6
ePerle de Lyon	PF vig.	deep yellow, sometimes lighter	2 (6
Perfection de Montlaisir	PF	yellow; good form	•••	1	G
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			Ste	ds.	Dw	fs.
Name.	Habit.	Description.	8.	d.	8.	d.
Princess of Wales		rosy yellow, centre rich golden yellow; large		G	2	0-
REINE MARIE HENRIETTE	vig.	a red Gloire de Dijon, possessing the good				
		properties of that well-known Rose	2	0	1	6
e Rubens	mod.	white, shaded with rose, centre peach; good	2	6	1	6
Souvenir de Gabriel Dre	VET	light salmon-pink in centre			1	G
e Souvenir de Mons. Paul						
NEYRON	PF vig.	fine hardy white-edged Rose; large, full, fine	2	6	1	G
e Souvenir d'Elise Vardon	F mod.	creamy white; one of the finest	2	6	2	0
Souvenir de Therèse Lever	r	deep red shaded; large and full	2	6	2	()
*e Souvenir d'un Ami	PF vig.	salmon-rose; large and very fine	2	6	1	G
VISCOUNTESS FALMOUTH	mod.	pinkish rose, tinged with darker pink			1	G

Established Plants, in 6-inch pots, of all the finest Tea-scented varieties, grown especially for Conservatories.

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		crimson; very large and fine 1 3 1 0	
MADAME MOREAU	 	bright pink; full 1 3 1 0	
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COMMANDANT BEAUREPAIRE bright rose, striped purple, violet, and white York and Lancaster white, striped with red		1 6 1 0
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SUNSET — A really fine novelty; it is a sport (but a rich tawny shaded saffron-coloured flower) from *Perle des Jardines*, nearly the colour of *Madame Falcot*, but double, as the parent. Dwarfs, 1s. 6d.; Standards, 2s. 6d.

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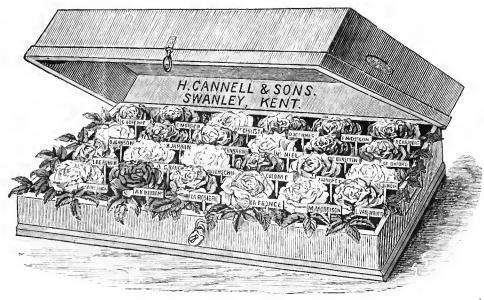
GLOIRE LYONNAISE — Flowers large, well-formed and full; white, tinted with yellow, a cross between Baronne Ad. de Rothschild and Madame Falcot. Dwarfs, 1s. 6d.; Standards, 2s. 6d.

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ROSA LUCIDA, "LADY LEIGHTON"—A very pretty and useful variety, producing an innumerable quantity of flowers of a pleasing shade of rosy pink. 1s.

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HYBRID TEA-SCENTED.

W. F. BENNETT—Of the same colour as Général Jacqueminot, and, from its size and the freedom with which the blooms are produced, it has been likened to a crimson Niphetos. Dwarfs, 1s. 6d.

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Dwarfs, in pots, 1s, 6d.

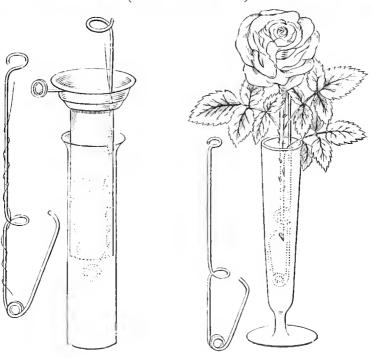
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ANGUSTIFOLIA—Lighter and larger than *Pitcheri*: flowers and spike not so compact, but of a very desirable colour. 1s.

3. **BETHELI**—Rose, shaded white; both the flowers and foliage are most lovely. 1s. to 2s.

4. RUTILANS (Pine Apple scented)—Growth neat and graceful either before or after blooming, foliage is delightfully fragrant, producing quantities of very pretty neat spikes of flowers of a lovely magenta colour; invaluable for general purposes. 1s. and 2s.

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- 6. SPLENDENS—The old variety, which is well known.
- 7. HOVEYI, or IANTHINA—Colour a distinct purple. 6d.
- 8. LEUCANTHA (barbata)—Has a very woodly appearance; base of tubes rosy mauve, upper part of tubes pure white; long deep green leaves. 1s
- 9. COCCINEA GRANDIFLORA—Deep reddish salmon, flowers somewhat resembling the shape of Salvia Pitcheri, and of a dwarf and branching habit. 1s.
- 10. ALBO-CŒRULEA—One of the most beautiful, of a dwarfish habit, long slender leaves of a deep green. Is.
- 11. GESNERÆFLORA Somewhat resembling the Gesnera; bright scarlet. 1s.
 - 12. ELEGANS.
 - 13. DULCIS—Scarlet; very fine. 1s.
 - 14. HEERI—Red, shaded orange. 1s.
 - 15. GONDOTII. 1s.

Mr. Sanders, The Gardens, the Firs, Lee, S.E., April 15th, 1887.

I shall not soon forget the rich, ave, sumptious floral treat I had with you the other day, seeing those levely Zonals and Cinerarias; they were charming.

GARDEN VARIETIES,

FULGENS—Glowing scarlet flowers. 6d. 17. FARINACEA-A most charming and

pleasing blue; grand for cut flowers. Sow seed

in March. 1s. per pkt.

18. PATENS-A beautiful bright bine flower, for borders or centres of beds a very handsome and useful variety. 6d. to 1s. each; 8s. per doz.

19. PATENS ALBA-Pure white, in all other respects identical with Patens. 2s.

20. TRICOLOR—At first sight it might be taken for an Antirrhinum; a white tube and month, with its lower segment scarlet and upper lip purple rose; colours beautifully defined.

OTHER BEAUTIFUL VARIETIES.

22. CACALIFOLIA-Clear pale blue.

CHAMŒDRYOIDES-Dark blue. 24.

25.CONFERTIFLORA - Broad foliage; pretty.

27. INTERRUPTA.

29. SCHIMPERI, syn. COLEUS BARBA. TUS—Free flowering.

LANTANIFOLIA.

31. MYCROPHYLLA—Scarlet.

INVOLUCRATA DISCAMPOIDES.

GRAHAMI PURPURATA. 9d. OBTUSA-Of a pleasing shade of rosy pink.

12 varieties, in strong bushy plants, for 9s. Small plants of those not priced, 6d. each.

35. NIGRESCENS-Flowers are produced in very long drooping branches of a dark purple colour, with deep lavender-blue calyx. 1s.

AXI FRAGAS.

INCRUSTED SECTION.

MILE following are some of the choicest and most useful of this group; many of them, from their quaint appearance and rarity, may be classed amongst the gents of the rock-garden. whilst others are especially valuable for making a groundwork or edging to line foliaged plants in the summer flower-garden.

AIZOON—Grows in nice patches; greyish-green, white edges. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

2. AIZOON MINOR—Pretty, greyish, very close, deuse growth. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

3. AMBIGUA-A neat and compact grower, with yellowish flowers and purplish calyxes and peduncles. 2s.

4. BURSERIANA-The earliest, and one of the most beautiful, flowers large and eircular, pure white on searlet stalks arising from compact silvery tufts; indispensable for the rock-garden; small plants. 2s.

5. BURSERIANA MAJOR-Larger and more robust in every way than the preceding; a

fine novelty; small plants. 3s. 6d.

7. CALYCIFLORA-A very rare and distinct Alpine, with deep rose-coloured flowers. 1s, 6d. each.

8. CARINTHIACA — Distinct and line. 3s. 6d.

9. CIRCUENTA-Leaves frosted, 9d.

10. COCHLEARIS-Leaves edged white, flower stems dull searlet, flowers pure white. Is.

11. CRUSTATA—Long, marrow, rigid, grev leaves; distinct. 1s.

12. DIAPENSOIDES—The rosettes of leaves of this plant are so dense and solid as to resemble a piece of rough stone. 1s. 6d.

13. HAUSMANNIANA-A very rare and

perfectly distinct species. 2s. 6d. 14. HOSTII—Pretty glaucons green, white edges. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

15. INTERMEDIA—Apparently a cross be-

tween Hostii and Lingulata, 6d. 16. LANTOSCANA-Narrow green leaves, edged white, flowers numerous, in a handsome arching paniele; very effective. Is,

17. LINGULATA—Broad leaves, edged

white. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

18. LONGIFOLIA VERA (Queen of the Saxifragas)-One of the most beautiful, with its rosettes of narrow, rigid, silvery edged leaves, recurving from the crown. 1s. to 2s. 6d.

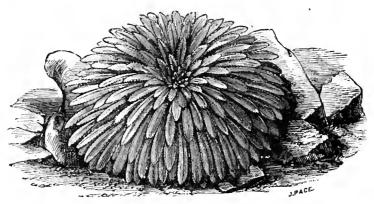
19. LONGIFOLIA (of Gardens)—Long narrow leaves, forming a large rosette. 6d. and 1s.

20.MACNABIANA-A new hybrid of great merit, either as a pot plant, or in the rock gar-

21. MUTATA—Yellow; very curious. 1s.6d.

Hunter Campbell, Esq., Ormidale, via Glasgow, April 25th, 1887.

The parcel arrived on Wednesday last, but it was so nicely packed the plants did not suffer, notwithstanding the nine or ten days' delay in transit.



SANIFRAGA LONGIFOLIA.

- 22. PECTINATA—Very small frosted leaves; one of the best. 1s.
- 23. PYRAMIDALIS For neatness and beauty, when this plant is well grown, it stands, in our opinion, before any other. There is no difficulty in doing this; like *Echeverias*, keep moderately dry during the winter, and make sure no dampness stands in the heart of the plant, if so, that part becomes decayed, and the flower spikes also. The rosettes frequently measure 6 inches in diameter, and the lovely pyramidal plumes of white flowers often reach 18 or 24 in. in height. 9d. to 2s. each.
- 24. ROCHELIANA—Small grey leaves, pure white flowers; one of the best for rockwork. 1s.
- 25. ROSULARIS—Small oval-shaped green leaves, white spotted edges. 9d. each; 6s. per doz.
- 26. STURMIANA—Very distinct and curious. 1s. 6d.
- 27. VALDENSIS—A real Alpine gem, with snow white flowers, springing from dense and rigid tufts, resembling pieces of stone. 2s. 6d.
- 28. VANDELLI—Almost intermediate in appearance between Burseriana and Diapensoides, flowers pure white. 3s. 6d. each.

HYPNOIDES OR MOSSY SECTION.

The plants contained in this section are especially useful for forming a ground work of green beneath fine foliaged plants or covering bare places on rockwork.

- 29 ASPERA.
- 30. CŒSPITOSA.
- 31. CŒSPITOSA HIRSUTA.
- 32. CERATOPHYLLA—Latest in flower. 9d. each.
 - 33. DECIPIENS.
 - 34. DENSA.
 - 35. GIBRALTARICA.
 - 36. HIRTA.
 - 37. HYPNOIDES.
- 38. MOSCHATA ATROPURPUREA Fine.
 - 39. NERVOSA.

- 40. OBSCURA.
 - 41. OBSCURA VERNA.
 - 42. PALMATA.
 - 43. PEDATIFIDA
 - 44. PROPENDENS.
 - 45. STERNBERGII. 46. STANSFIELDI.
 - 47. TRIFIDA.
- 48. CAMPOSI (WALLACEI)—One of the best for the rockeries or borders; a gem. 9d.
 - 49. WEBBIANA.
 - 50. WHITLAVI.

All those not priced, 6d. each.

MISCELLANEOUS VARIETIES.

- 51. ANDREWSI—Green leaves of medium size, deeply serrated, the serratures being white; pretty.
- 52. BIFLORA A rare erceping species, with rosy purple flowers; small plants. 2s. each.
- 53. GEUM—Dark green tnfts, producing abundance of pink and white flowers; very distinct.
 - 54. GEUM COMPACTA.
 - 55. GEUM DENSA.

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- 56. GEUM ELEGANS.
- 57. GEUM OVALIFOLIA.
- 58. GEUM POLITA.
- 59. GRANULATA FL. PL.—Very double pure white blooms, perfectly hardy, but makes a nice pot plant; tuberous rooted. 6d.

60. JUNIPERINA — Dense spiny tufts, flowers bright yellow; distinct and eurious. 1s.6d.

- 61. OPPOSITIFOLIUM—Charming species, covered with rosy purple flowers in spring. 9d.
- 62. OPPOSITIFOLIUM ALBA Pure white. 9d.
- 63. OPPOSITIFOLIUM SPLENDENS
 —Forms sheets of rosy crimson. 1s.
- 64. PELTATA (Umbrella plant) Large peltate leaves, 10 to 12 inches in diameter, on stalks 2 feet in height. Flower scapes 2 feet

high, bearing a cyme of rose-coloured flowers; an invaluable plant for moist situations. 2s. 6d.

- 65. RETUSA, syn. WULFENIANA—Similar to Oppositifolium, but with pink flowers. 1s.
- 66. RUDOLPHIANA—Bright purple; very scarce. Is, 6d.
- scarce. 1s. 6d.
 67. SANCTA—A rare species from Mount Athos; very dense and rigid, flowers bright yellow on short stems; fine rock plant. 1s. 6d.
- 68. SARMENTOSA (Strawberry Begonia)
 —One of the prettiest margin plants that we possess, if grown on damp surfaces. 9d.
- 69. UMBROSA—(London Pride)—A well-known and useful variety.
- 70. UMBROSA HIRSUTA—Distinct and pretty.
- 71. UMBROSA SERRATIFOLIA MAJOR
 —Large leaves, deeply toothed; fine.

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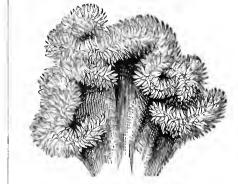
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- 1. ACRE-Lively green; thrives anywhere. 6d. each; 3s. per doz.
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- 5. GLAUCUM—See Green Carpet Bedding Plants.
 - 6. LYDIUM-See Green Carpet Bedding Plants.

Varieties marked thus * fine for pots, others for rock garden.

- 7. ALBUM-Sheets of white flowers.
- 8. ANACAMPSEROS-Curious and distinct.
- 9. BREVIFOLIUM—Curious small growing variety. 1s. 6d.
 - *10. CARNEUM FOL. VAR.
 - 11. DENTICULATUM.
- *12. EWERSII—Rosy purple flowers; pretty.
- 13. GRANDIFLORUM.
- *14. JAPONICUM.
- *15. JAPONICUM FOL. VAR.
- 16. OPPOSITIFOLIUM.
- 17. ORIGANUM—Quite distinct from any other Sedum.
 - 18. REFLEXUM.
 - 19. SEXANGULARE.
- *20. SIEBOLDI.
- *21. SIEBOLDI FOL. VAR.
- *22. SPECTABILE Enormous heads of rose-coloured flowers.
- *23. TELEPHIUM PURPUREUM.
- 24. VIRENS.
- *25. VIREN'S COXSCOMB-A very curious variety; each shoot is formed like a cockscomb, and very often comes double.



VIREN'S COCKSCOMB.

Those not priced, 6d, each.

The Liverpool Courier, August 1st, 1887.

Included in a magnificent collection of cut flowers, by Messrs. II. Cannell & Sons, Swanley, were specimens of a new Geranium, "Goldfinder." which is to be made public property next year.

CHOICE AND BEAUTIFUL

SUCCULENTS FOR BEDDING, &c.

AMERICAN ALOE (AGAVE AMERICANA)—An ornamental plant for vases, the lawn, or terrace. Price, 2s, to 10s,

AGAVE AMERICANA VARIEGATA

—A variety with variegated leaves; highly ornamental. Price, 2s. to 10s.

AGAVE AMERICANA AMELIA PICTA—Quite distinct from Americana Variegata, the centre of the leaf being a bright golden colour, margined green; very distinct. 10s. 6d.

CANDLE PLANT-Mr. John Grummitt, Priory Bank House, Sheffield, speaks of this plant as follows in the Journal of Horticulture :-There is an enquiry respecting this plant on page 370. The plant inquired after is, in my opinion. Cacalia articulata, which is succulent. The whole plant, stem, and leaves has the same glancons lines as Echeveria secunda glanca when grown in heat. It is rare. I never but once (some years ago) saw a plant of it, and then, in a cottage window. It and Crassula imbricata and Monanthes polyphylla are, I fear, lost in enltivation; they would be valuable acquisitions to the collector and lover of curious or rare plantsat least they would be so to me. London tells us the plant was introduced from the Cape, about 1775." 6d.

CACALIA CARAVESCENS—White; fine variety. 1s.

HAWORTHIA CYMBIFOLIA—Somewhat resembles the dwarf *Echevarias*; it has very short thick leaves, slightly streaked, and each leaf unfolds itself curiously in a hollow or concave form; this plant cannot fail but to be greatly admired, either in the greenhouse or for carpet bedding. 1s.

KLEINIA REPENS—Has very peculiar shades of colour, greyish blue—in fact it has more blue in its foliage than any other that we know; is a small plant, and makes a beautiful edging. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM BAR. BATUM.

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM CAULES CENS.

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM DENTICU-LATUM

MESEMBRYANTHEMUM FELINUM.
MESEMBRYANTHEMUM INCLADENS.



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MESEMBRYANTHEMUM TIGRI-NUM—As the name denotes, it much resembles a tiger, first by being beautifully spotted; next, by each leaf having a row of hooked teeth on either side; and, as the plant always opens a couple of leaves at one time, as the leaves develop themselves, it has just the appearance of a bunch of tigers' claws. 6d.

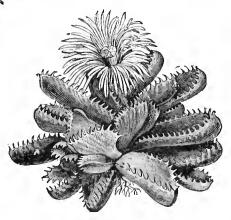
OPUNTIA RAFINESQUIANA—A beautiful hard variety. 1s, 6d.

PACHYPHYTUM HOOKERII—Also a very nice little plant, producing a quantity of short, thick, succedent foliage; round, and about the size of one's little finger. 1s.

Mr. Cuas. Wood, East Garth, Westoe, August 9th, 1887. The plants came packed splendidly, and not a leaf was broken,

Mr. W. Clarke, Linslade, Leighton Buzzard, August 30th, 1887. I took first prize with the Dahlias I had from you at the Leighton Buzzard show this year.

Mr. R. J. Pullen, Hartpury, Gloncester. May 4th. 1887. Received plants in splendid condition. The packing quite a marvel of neatness.



MESEMBRYANTHEMUM TIGRINUM.

57. PACHYPHYTUM BRACTEOSUM—A very enrious and interesting plant, colour light glaucous green; each leaf is very thick, and abruptly pointed. For low carpet bedding this is very good. Is.

58. PACHYPHYTUM SIEBOLDI. 1s.

59. ROCHEA (CRASSULA) FALCATA—Without doubt is the most valuable and beautiful succulent blooming plant that we possess, and a most remarkable easy plant to cultivate; blooms orange-scarlet, very bright, and continues a long time in flower. 1s, and 2s, each.

60. YUCCA GLORIOSA. 58.

YUCCA ALŒFOLIA. 3s. 6d.

61. COTYLEDON PULVERULENTUM. 1s.



ROCHEA FALCATA.



YUCCA.

Mr. Walter L. Gumm, Remington, Jasper County, Indiana, U.S.A., March 7th, 1887.

I was very much pleased with the Begonia Bulbs you sent me last spring, they were greatly admired.

J. L. Bowes, Esq., Villa Isabella, Grasse, a/m, France, March 15th, 1887. The twelve Double Violets, "Swanley White," you sent me last year are flowering splendidly.

Niagara Street, Croft Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., U.S.America, February 22ml, 1887. The Chrysonthemums you sent me last year did splendidly.

Mrs. Ponder, West Lodge, Sevenoaks, Angust 5th, 1887. Very pleased with the Bouquet, which kept fresh for a week.

Mr. M. J. Battley, Eden Hill Nurseries, Fort Eric, Ontario, Canada. April 23rd, 1887. The plants reached here, 21st March, in splendid condition.

W. A. Bishop-Culpeper, Esq., Ye Bungalowe, Hampton, March 19th, 1887.

The plants arrived to-day, beautifully packed, and in excellent condition. They are highly satisfactory.



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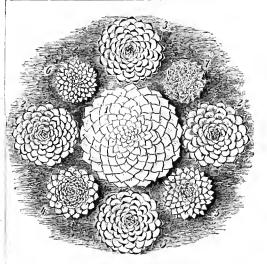
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 ARBOREUM ATROPURPUREUM -During the summer mouths turns nearly black when planted out of doors; a splendid plant for the centre of beds, &c. 1s.

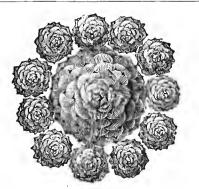
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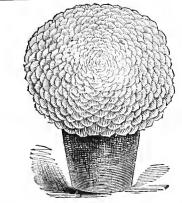


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REPENS—One of the greatest curiosities in all the succulents, and may justly be called the miniature Banyan Tree, for its roots are sent downwards and become stems to the plant for its support; when grown in a pan or broad-mouthed pot, it is a very interesting plant. 1s.



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TORTUOSUM-Large plants of this are

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PITTONI—Neat and very pretty. 9d.

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25. TRISTE-Dark metallic bronze; one of the finest. 1s. 6d.

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PETER ROZENKRANZER - Much the finest and best of all the greenhouse winter and spring trailers; free growth; dark foliage, with large blooms of the most intense brilliant searlet ever seen, and is a real good and useful plant in any greenhouse or garden. 1s.

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Lovely as we have seen Vesucius and several of the older kinds in beds, none gives such a tiery glow as this, and where a splendid bed is required it will be highly appreciated. 1s. each; 8s. per doz.

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 COOPERII—Brilliant orange-scarlet. produced in profusion, and continues in succession until frost appears; fine for beds or pillars.

2. MAYES' SEEDLING - Flowers large and produced very freely; splendid trailing plant; rich yellow.

SUNBEAM-Clear yellow self.

3. CORONET-This variety is yellow and similar to the preceding in growth; free flowering and effective; a valuable addition.

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BEDFONT RIVAL-A variety of dwarf habit, very free in bloom, and continuous and vigorous in growth; colour warm searlet, 6d. cach. After April, 4d. each; 3s. per doz.

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Few, without seeing the following Tropæolums trailing up the roof of a warm greenhouse, can form any idea of the beauty and the quantity of flowers they produce, which gives a floral charm throughout the dark dreary winter months, with little or no attention.

TRIOMPHE DE GAND-Searlet, good.

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TWO GRAND DOUBLE VARIETIES.

BICOLOR FL. PL.-Light clear orange-searlet, striped and splashed orange; free and distinct. 1s.

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DOUBLE SCARLET TROP-EOLUM.



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DOUBLE-FLOWERING TROPÆOLUMS, TRAILING.

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18. HERMINE GRASSHOFF-Colour a rich beautiful orange-scarlet, and the flowers from 2 to 21 inches in diameter; invaluable for cut flowers and other purposes; a fine acquisition, 1s. 19. JOHN MIE-Beautiful orange-red; free.

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JARRATTI. 1s. POLYPHYLLUM. PENTAPHYLLUM. 1s, 6d.

SPECIOSUM—The grandest of all climbers for north or shady damp walls or situations. 1s. AZUREUM, 38, 6//,

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ATIVES of Mexico, producing flowers of exquisite beauty and singularly enrious shape. The colour of each variety is gorgeous and purely contrasted; they bloom from July to October. Before the frost take up the bulbs, and keep in a dry place until the time of planting in the spring. The following are the most distinct and beautiful varieties.

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Possessing all the advantages of the old varieties, both in vigour of growth and abundance of bloom. but with large ivory-white flowers, spotted with maroon and rosy lake in the centre; most beautiful when the bloom aufolds itself in the morning; recommended as a distinct and useful variety. 1s. each; 10s. per doz.

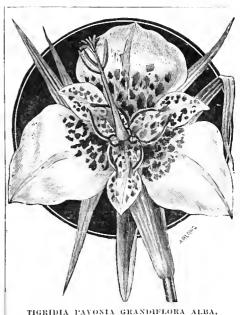
PAVONIA GRANDIFLORA-This is most beautiful when the bloom unfolds itself in the morning; from June until the frost sets in, no flower so gorgeous or pretty was ever seen, but as the sun sets the flower ceases to exist, new blooms being thrown up almost daily, so that the quantity produced is enormous. Beyond planting in the ordinary way of a Tulip, nothing is required to cultivate it.

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SPECIOSA—Brick-red. WHEELERII-Blood-red.

Bulbs, 6d. each; 5s. per doz.



VERBE'NAS.

Verbenas for the Decoration of Conservatory and Exhibition.

T is not generally known how well adapted are many varieties of the Verbenas for the summer and autumn decoration of the greenhouse and conservatory. If the following kinds are chosen. the house may be made gay with flowers, and sweet, with a most agreeable perfume for months. Strong healthy plants should be chosen, and potted into 6-in. pots any time from the beginning of April to the end of July, the soil to be similar to that used for Fuchsias. Choose plants that have had the points taken out once or twice when small. After being potted into 6 or 8 in. pots they should be kept in a cold frame for a few days, tolerably close, and then gradually exposed. Give them two or three thorough fumigations, as per H. C. & Sons' directions, then remove them to a well-ventilated cold greenhouse. Put a stake to each shoot, letting them be slightly bent down. and make them dwarf; but the flower stalks must be kept straight if required for exhibition.

Verbenas can hardly be too liberally treated; starvation has hitherto brought this once general favourite into unpopularity; they are like Chrysanthemums, you can hardly err in overfeeding them.

Let them have plenty of air, night and day, with every opportunity of rooting through the bottom of the pots, and plenty of weak liquid manure as they may want it; by this means they will give you a grand display of flowers for two or three months, and an enormous quantity of bloom may be cut, and the plants none the worse.

None without seeing our 100-ft, house, or a 48-stand of Verbenas, can form the slightest idea of their size and beauty; so large in pips and truss that they have several times been taken for Phloxes.



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BEST FOR EXHIBITION.

1. AUGUST RENZ—Deep rosy pink, but on flowers first opening they are of a bright red; large, distinct, sulphur eye; trusses and flowers large and pretty. Received a First-Class Certificate. 9d.

2. APOLLO—Rosy lilac, purple centre; fine pip and truss.

ACQUISITION—Beautiful rosy red; large flowers and trusses.

3. BURNS—Rich rosy scarlet, shaded crimson, clear white eye; medium size, well-formed flowers; pretty. 9d.

5. BALL OF FIRE—The most brilliant of all the self-scarlets, habit and growth both perfect, and certainly the finest scarlet Verbena, both for show and bedding, ever sent out. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.; 20s. per 100.

6. KING OF VERBENAS — Deep rosy pink, shaded lilac, round cream eye; fine trusses.

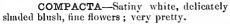
7. BLUE BOY—Brilliant blue, producing a very large truss.

8. BLUE SUPERB—Pale blue, conspicuous white eye, large pip.

BUTTERFLY—Of a rosy crimson shade, lower part of flower lighter, large white eye.

CARL GOTZEL - Very large, of a magenta-crimson shade, changing to lighter, large white eye; distinct.

CLEMENS GROHÉ -- White, striped and splashed reddish crimson; distinct and fine.



9. DR. FEYERLIN - Deep plum, tinted purple and maroon, lighter centre, flowers and trusses extremely large and fine. 9d.

10. DELICATA — Soft rose, shaded lilac, cream coloured eye; large, fine, and distinct.

11. EDWARD PERKINS - White, erim-

son-purple eye; fine.

FAIRY QUEEN - A most distinct variety, blush white, with a distinct ring of fiery pink round lemon eye.

12. FEU FOLLET—Blaish purple; large

- 13. F. DELAUX Rich reddish scarlet, shaded round beautiful clear white eye with erimson and pink, trusses well formed; distinct and fine. 9d.
- 14. FLOWER OF DORSET Crimsonmaroon, suffused with purple, immense truss and petals; one of the best dark flowers in cultivation. 1s.
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16. HAMLET - Crimson, shaded orange, darker round centre; fine and large. 9d.

HARLEQUIN -White, striped and flaked deep pink, with a slight tinge of lilae; distinct.

17. LADY OF LORNE — White, suffased pink; very free and effective. 9d.
18. LADY BROOKE—Bright pink, darker

shade in centre, creamy white eye.

LA LOVIE—Mauve, white eye.

20. LA GRANDE BOULE DE NEIGE-Pure white, well-known. Rooted cuttings, 8s. per 100.

21. LA NATURE—Rosy purple, very large,

pure white eye.

22. LILACINA-Pale lilae, darker centre;

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24. LORD CRANBROOK—Deep magenta. shaded lilac, temon eye; fine flower and truss. 9d.

25. LORD BROOKE—Rich shaded scarlet; large white eye.

26. LORĎ LEIGH — Bright scarlet; very large, grand flower.

27. LUSTROUS — Intense scarlet, large white eye; strong grower.

LADY C. BERESFORD - Large fine flowers, rich rosy red, large white eye, edged a soft shade of lilac.

LORD CHAS. BERESFORD-Rich scarlet crin.son, maroon and purple shade round lemon eye; very free.

28. MABEL—Beautiful mauve; fine large flowers and truss.

30. M. BACO—Deep rosy carmine, spotted and splashed deeper, creamy white eye; medium size flowers, but well-formed trusses.

- 32. MASTER R. CANNELL-Deep lilac, richly suffused with purple; large pip, splendid truss, and very floriferous. 9d.
- 33. MESANGE Bright reddish brick colour, shading off lighter, clear cream coloured eye, moustrous pip, and forming into well shaped trusses; distinct and effective. 9d.
- MRS. FISHER—Light plum, changing to lavender, white eye.

35. MRS TAIT-Rich purple, white eye.

36. MRS. TROLLOPE — Lavender-blue; highly fragrant.

MAGNATE-Soft pink, sulphur centre; fine flowers.

- 38. NERO—Deep lilac, with plum-coloured ring round light centre.
- 39. ODYSSÉE Pinky lilae, upper petals much deeper, white eye; large trusses.
- 40. OPHELIA Of a beautiful shade of rosy pink, distinct sulphur centre; flowers large and fine. 9d.
- 41. ORION Rich carmine-searlet, vellow eye; pips very large. 9d.
- OTHELLO Crimson-maroon, lilae shaded centre; distinct and fine. 9d.
- 43. PURITY-Pure white, large flowers; good truss. 9d.
- 44. PURPUREA Rich violet-purple, creamy white eye; good form. 9d.

PURPLE QUEEN—Fine trusses, rich purple; good.

45. REGALIA - Scarlet-lake, canary eye; free. 9d.

ROSE PERFECTION - Rich fiery 47. rose, clear cream eye; pretty.

48. RUBY—Deep ruby-crimson, white eye; rich colour.

ROSY MORN — Deep rose, fine formed trusses; good.

- SIMON KREMSER—Bright rich scarlet, suffused crimson, large distinct eye, which makes it very attractive; very free.
- 50. STAR Bright rosy pink, very large white eye, flowers and trusses well formed; one of the prettiest ever sent out.

51. STAR OF ERIN-Fine formed trusses, deep red, white round dark eye; fine.

52. SWANLEY GEM-White, edged and spotted blue.

SUNBEAM -- Large white eve, rich searlet, shading off lighter.

THALIA—Stained claret, square white eye, fine trusses.

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URANIE—Deep reddish erimson, of a deeper colour round medium-size white eye; flowers large and fine.

VICTOR EMMANUEL—Manve, tinte with plnm colour, light green eye.

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Those not priced, 6d. each; 5s. per doz.; after May, 3s. per doz. Cuttings, 1s. 6d. per doz. A collection of the best twenty-four, in rooted cuttings, post free, 8s.; cuttings ditto, 3s.

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DEFIANCE, FL. PL.—Producing medium-sized semi-double flowers, of a rich scarlet slale, 6d. each.

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Many will be delighted to see that we are offering VERBENA IMPÉRATRICE EUGENIE, syn. MAHOMETI, which caused such a sensation, and proved such an acquisition, 25 to 30 years ago, but since that time it appears to have almost died out of existence; it is one of the prettiest plants of the garden. Flowers small and beautifully striped; a gem. 9d. each; 6s. per doz.

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- 67. BEETHOVEN—Deep rosy lake, deeper eentre.

68. BASILISK-Bright scarlet.

BLUE BEAUTY - Deep blue, white 69. centre.

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fine habit. Rooted enttings, 8s. per 100.
71. HAMPTON COURT CRIMSON -Splendid variety for bedding purposes. It somewhat resembles Crimson King, but has a stronger growth, with more brilliancy of colour. 6d. each; after May, 3s. per doz.; cuttings. 1s. 6d.

 GEANT DES BATAILLES — Crimson, dark centre. 73. LADY COWLEY - Pure pink, white

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- VENOSA—Hardy kind, and for long riband borders for back rows is one of the best colours, manye-purple. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.
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Rooted cuttings, Is. per doz.; post free, Is. 4d.; established in pots, 2s. 6d. per doz. Special price per 100 and 1,000 on application.

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VERY useful and ornamental group of small half-hardy evergreen shrubs, but in many places perfectly hardy, especially in the south of England and near the coast, forming into luxuriant bushes, and ornamental both in foliage and flower. As pot plants they are useful the whole year, and in the autumn are amongst the prettiest of flowering shrubs; planted out during the summer and lifted in the approach of frost they will produce flowers for a long time.

1. ANDERSONI—Largeamplefoliage, dark green, with spikes of blue and white flowers. 1s. 2. ADOLAR HERLL—Beautiful colour;

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- 3. BLUE GEM—Very dwarf, free blooming variety; in fact it is almost perpetual. Flowers light blue small foliage. 6d. each; 3s. per doz.
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- 6. CRÈME ET VIOLET—Plant bushy; the flowers, which are produced in abundance, are of a flesh-pink, clear manye at the base; the stamens project well, and are of a beautiful violet, thus making a pretty contrast with the delicate pink; a splendid variety.
- 7. DECUSSATA Small box-like leaves, and spikes of blue flowers.
 - 8. DIOGÈNE.
- 9. FAUST—Dark foliage, dark blue flowers; habit dwarf—1s.
- 10. GIRDWOODIANA—Flowers in summer, colour light blue; perfectly hardy.
- 11. HULKEANA—Is more of a greenhouse variety, producing spikes fully 18 inches in length; flowers of a creamy pink colour: for pots and conservatory work one of the prettiest and finest varieties of this family, and for forcing one of the best plants in cultivation. 1s, each; 7s, per doz.

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- 19. MINIATURE—Also resembles V. decussata in foliage, with very short clusters, but very numerous bright reddish violet flowers. 1s.
 - 20. MADAME TREZEL,
 - 21. MURILLO.
- 22. ROTUNDIFOLIA Very neat and bushy habit; flowers blue. 1s.
 - 23. RUBRA SPLENDIDA.
 - 24. SOCRATE.
- 25. SALICIFOLIA—The willow-leaved Veronica; foliage long and narrow, flowers light blue; distinct. 1s.
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- 27. ANDERSONI VARIEGATA—A most beantiful plant for centre of beds; the white is exceedingly effective, and, being half-hardy, it has a fine appearance in the autumn. 1s.

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VIOLAS,

AND PANSIES WITH HABIT OF THE VIOLA.

ANY of these continue in bloom (even beneath the snow) all the winter; and at the first few days of sunshine they are a brilliant mass, and if planted in bands of colours like other ordinary bedding plants, in well-manned, deeply-day soil, they give a glare of colour from February to July. But how strange that, with the exception of a few that know better, the million will buy bulbs for bedding!—whereas Violas are only a quarter the price, more certain, continue ten times longer in flower, and produce tharty times the quantity of bloom or colour, and are altogether better.

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NEW VIOLAS.

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ETHEL BAXTER—Bright rosy puce, veined with a darker shade of colour, the top petals slightly tinted with lilae; a lovely and distinct variety, and of fine form. 9d.

MAX COLB—Rich shaded dark blue; a late bloomer. 6d.

MERCHISTON CASTLE—Rich crimson shaded violet, with a wire margin of white; a miniature fancy Pansy, very distinct and beautiful. 1s.

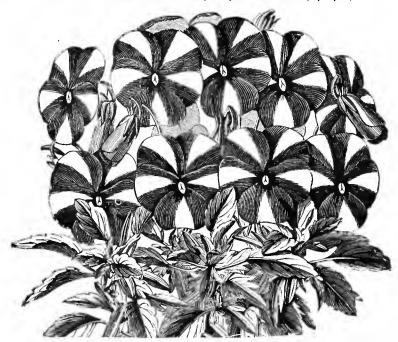
MRS. BAXTER—Rich rosy purple lower petals, light top petals, large finely-formed flowers; a first-rate variety. 6d. each.

MRS. H. CHILD—Rich violet centre, with a distinct light blotch in each lower petal, and lighter top petals; a decided blue tint runs through this flower; distinct and beautiful. 1s. 6d.

SIR JOSEPH TERRY—Rich black-violet self; dwarf, sturdy habit, and very free blooming: extra fine. 1s. 6d.

SPOTTED GEM-Rosy purple, blotched with blush white; a beautiful and very fine variety 6d, each.

YORK AND LANCASTER—White, distinctly striped with rich rosy purple; extra fine. 1s.



MAGPIE-Dark purple, pure winte blotch. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

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ARCHD. GRANT—Dark rosy purple, flowers large and finely formed. 6d. each; 4s. per doz. ARDWELL GEM—The best light yellow.

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AURORA—Bluish purple, immense bloomer. BLUE BELL—Violet, shaded blue: dwarf and compact, for summer bedding; far exceeds Purple King Verbena. May.

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BULLION—Deep yellow, slightly rayed in centre; an extra fine bedder, 6d, each; 4s, per doz,

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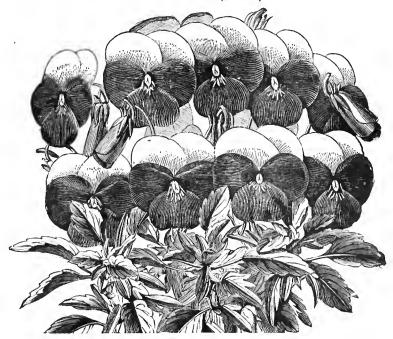
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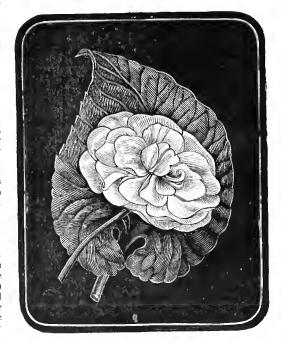
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F there is one flower more than another that can lay claim to the honour of being everybody's favourite, it is the Violet; it cheers the most saddened spirits, and gladdens the most robust. We are pleased to say the hybridisers and the most anxious and hopeful scedling raisers are at work, and to those who present flowers double the size of our present kinds, with a perfune,

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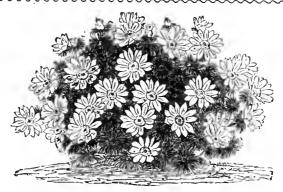
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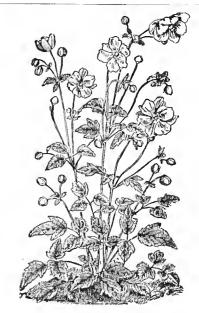
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CAMPANULA MACRANTHA ALBA-Long white spikes; a noble border plant. 1s.

CAMPANULA NOBILIS ALBA. 6d. each;

CAMPANULA PULLA-Charming when seen in a mass; deep purple flowers. Is. each; 9s. per doz.

CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA—Flowers

blue. 6*d*.

CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA ALBA FLORE PLENO-Flowers pure white; valuable for cut flowers. 6d each; 4s, per doz.

CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA CORO-NATA ALBA-A beautiful free-flowering variety. 1s. each; 9s. per doz.

CAMPANULA PORTENSCHLAGIANA, syn. MURALIS-Distinct and pretty. 9d.

CAMPANULA PUMILA, syn. PUSILLA-6d, each; 5s. per doz.

CAMPANULA PUMILA ALBA-Very

near and distinct. 6d.

CAMPANULA PYRAMIDALIS (Chimney Campanula)-A fine plant for the back of the herbaceous border, or for pot eniture, forming a pyramid composed of numerous stems 4 to 5 feet in height, each stem crowded with large blue salver-like flowers, 6d.

CAMPANULA PYRAMIDALIS ALBA-

Pretty 3 9d.

CAMPANULA RHOMBOIDEA - Flowers deep blue, on slender stems. 9d.

CAMPANULA SOLDANELLÆFLORA FL. PL .-- A beautiful little plant, with blue flowers of varied form. 1s.

CAMPANULA TURBINATA—Bearing large bell-shaped blaish purple flowers. 9d.

CAMPANULA TURBINATA ALBA—An elegant pure white variety. 1s.

CAMPANULA URTICÆFOLIA FL. PL.— A very old and useful form. 1s.

CAMPANULA URTICÆFOLIA ALBA FL. PL.—One of the best border plants we possess; scarce. 1s. 6d.

CAMPANULA VAN HOUTTEI-A charming hybrid, erect stems 2 feet in height, bearing immense dark blue flowers 3 in, in length. 6d.

CARDAMINE PRATENSIS FL. PL.—6d. CARDAMINE TRIFOLIATA—Very pretty

white-flowering spring plant. 6d.

CAREX JAPONICA FOL. VAR.—Effective. 6d.

CATANANCHE BICOLOR—This can be recommended as a free-growing effective border perennial; flowers blue and white. 6d. each;

CENTAUREA BABYLONICA - A bold and effective perennial. 1s.

CENTAUREA CLEMENTI-Elegant sil-

very foliage; very effective. 6d.
CENTAUREA MACROCEPHALA — A strong growing form, producing large bright yellow flowers. 1s.

CENTAUREA MONTANA (The Perennial Cornflower)-Blue, very useful for entting purposes. 6d.

CENTAUREA MONTANA ALBA—Very useful. 6d.

CENTAUREA MONTANA CARNEA—6d. CENTAUREA MONTANA LADY FLOR-ENCE HASTINGS-A new creamy white form, very useful for cutting. 1s.

CENTAUREA MONTANA RUBRA-A very scarce and handsome plant with red flowers, quite distinct from the form usually sold under this name. 9d.

CERASTIUM BIEBERSTEINI-CERASTIUM BOISSIERI-CERASTIUM TOMENTOSUM-

Three well-known rock or carpeting plants 6d. each; 3s, per doz.

CHEIRANTHUS ALPINUS-One of the best of our spring-flowering plants, forming dense cushions covered with sulphur coloured flowers. Gd.

CHEIRANTHUS CHEIRI LUTEUS PLENUS (Double Yellow Wallflower)-A free-flowering old favourite. 1s.



WALLILOWER (DOUBLE).

CHEIRANTHUS MARSHALLI—Orange-coloured variety; fragrant and useful for eutting. 9d.

CHELONE OBLIQUA, syn. PURPUR A (Snake's head)—9d.

CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM—Pure white, yellow centre; fine for cutting. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.



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CHRYSOCOMA LINOSYRIS (tioldylocks)
—Flowers unmerous, yellow. 9d.

CHICHORIUM INTYBUS - Handsome blue flowers; useful for cutting. 6d.

CIMICIFUGA AMERICANA—Large and handsome foliage, long feathery spikes of white flowers. 1s.

CLEMATIS INTEGRIFOLIA—A herbaceous species, with elegant bell-like purple flowers. 9d.

COMMELINA CŒLESTIS — Pretty and continuous blooming; Gentian-blue flowered plant, 1s,

COREOPSIS LANCEOLATA — A hand-some kind, flowering nearly all the summer: bright yellow. 9d.

COREOPSIS ROSEA—6d. each; 5s, per doz. CORONILLA VARIA—A very handsome, free, and graceful plant; rose coloured flowers. 6d.

CORYDALIS NOBILIS—The handsomest of this family; flowers rich golden yellow in early spring; a grand plant for a shady moist spot. 1s. 6d.

CRUCIANELLA STYLOSA—A neat trailing plant; globular heads of rose flowers. 6d.

CYCLAMEN—The greenhouse varieties are familiar to everyone, but how few have any idea

of the modest beauty of the hardy species; they only require planting in light loamy soil, in a shady position.

CYCLAMEN AFRICANUM (Macrophyllum)—Large red flowers in autumn. 1s.

CYCLAMEN ATKINSI — White crimson centre; winter flowering. 1s.

CYCLAMEN ATKINSI RUBRUM—Bright red. 1s.

CYCLAMEN COUM—Red; flowers in February. 1s.

CYCLAMEN EUROPÆUM — Summer flowering rosy pink. 1s.

CYCLAMEN HEDERIFOLIUM -- Rese, foliage marbled; autumnal. 1s.



CYCLAMEN HEDERIFOLIUM (HARDY).

CYCLAMEN HEDERIFOLIUM ALBUM—Pure white; rare. 1s. 6d.

CYCLAMEN IBERICUM—Purple; winter flowering. 2s. 6d.

CYCLAMEN REPANDUM—Deep reddish crimson March. 1s.

CYCLAMEN VERNUM — Bright red. April. 1s.

CYPRIPEDIUM CALCEOLUS (English Lady's Slipper)—One of the most beautiful of Hardy Orchids, having large flowers of a brownish purple, and the tip clear bright yellow, like a Calceolaria. 1s, 6d.



COREOPSIS.

DAISIES—See Collection.

DELPHINIUMS—See Collection.

DIANTHUS ALPINUS (Alpine Pink)— Large deep rose flowers, spotted erimson, on stems 2 inches in height. 1s. 6d.

DIANTHUS ANNULATUS—A very beau-

tiful rock plant. 1s.

DIANTHUS BALBISH, syn. LIBURNI-CUS. 6d.

DIANTHUS BARBATUS MAGNIFICUS - Large heads of deep crimson; double flowers. 6d.



DIANTHUS BARBATUS MAGNIFICUS.

DIANTHUS CŒSIUS (Cheddar Pink). 6d.

DIANTHUS CRUENTUS. 6d.

DIANTHUS DELTOIDES ALBUS. 1s. DIANTHUS FISCHERI — Crimson-blush flowers 1 inch in diameter, covering the plant; a very rare Alpine. 1s. 6d.

DIANTHUS FRAGRANS. 6d.

DIANTHUS GLACIALIS (Glacier Pink)—Rosy crimson, flowers one inch in diameter, one of the gems of the rock garden. 2s. 6d.

DICTAMNUS FRAXINELLA — Curious red flowers; fine border plant. Is.

DICTAMNUS FRAXINELLA ALBA — White, fragrant. 1s.

DIELYTRA (DICENTRA) EXIMEA—A charming spring-flowering plant, delicate light green foliage, and racemes of drooping reddish purple flowers; fine for spring decoration. 9d.

DIELYTRA (DICENTRA) FORMOSA—Also a very useful and pretty variety. 9d.

DIELYTRA (DICENTRA) SPECTABILIS

— One of the finest spring-flowering plants, either for border or greenhouse, that we possess; well known. 9d.

DIERAMA (SPARAXIS) PULCHER-RIMA—Very different from the ordinary bulbous *Sparaxis*, having long graceful grass-like drooping leaves. The flowers are produced upon a slender stem 4 feet in length, from which droop a succession of slender wire-like stalks, terminating in flowers, 1½ to 2 inches in length, varying from crimson to delicate pink or rose colour; one of the most heautiful and desirable plants in enlitivation. 1s. each.

DIGITALIS FERRUGINEA, syn. AUREA—Interesting. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

DIGITALIS GRANDIFLORA, syn. AM-BIGUA—Yellow-flowered perennial Foxglove. 9d.

DODECATHEON JEFFREYANUM, syn. LANCIFOLIUM—The largest of this group; foliage long, ereet, and lanecolate, drooping rose-coloured flowers, with yellow centres. 9d. and 1s.

DODECATHEON MEADIA (The American Cowslip)—Slender stems, 12 inches in height, bearing umbels of from 10 to 12 rosy purple flowers on each; form of flower somewhat like the Cyclamen; quite hardy. 6d.

DODECATHEON SPLENDIDUM (Shooting Star)—Deep crimson colour; a little gem

for a cool, shady spot. 1s.

DONDIA EPIPACTIS, syn. HACQUETIA—Three-lobed leaves and nmbels of yellow flowers; in spring likes a damp position. 9d.

DORONICUM AUSTRIACUM — Bright golden yellow; very effective. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

DORONICUM CORDIFOLIUM — Stronggrowing form: golden yellow. 6d.

DORONICUM HARPUR CREWE—A grand variety, growing about 3 feet high, and producing freely large, bright yellow flowers; the finest for entting purposes. 9d.

DRABA AIZOIDES—Bright golden-yellow flowers, on stems 2 inches in height; flowering

from February to April. 1s.

DRABA CUSPIDATA—Yellow; very early and dwarf. 9d.

DRACOCEPHALUM ARGUNENSE — Neat dwarf, violet-purple. 9d.

DRACOCEPHALUM AUSTRIACUM — Violet-purple, in long creet spikes. 6d.

DRACOCEPHALUM RUPRECHTI—Lilac-blue; a fine novelty. 1s.

DRACOCEPHALUM RUYSCHIANUM—Producing numerous purple flowers. 6d.

DRYAS OCTOPETALA—A creeping evergreen plant; large white flowers and yellow stamens; pretty. 1s.

ECHINACEA INTERMEDIA-18.

ECHINACEA PURPUREA—A very stately autumn flowering perennial, with large reddish purple flowers on stems 3 feet in height. 1s.

ECHINOPS RITRO (Globe-Thistle) — Λ handsome foliage plant, having also globular heads of rich blue flowers. 1s.

ECHINOPS SPHŒROCEPHALUS — Λ fine companion to the above; flower heads greyish lilae. 1s.

EPILOBIUM ANGUSTIFOLIUM— Adapted for shrubberies, borders, &c. 6d.

EPILOBIUM DODONÆI, syn. HALLERI.

EPIMEDIUM ALPINUM (Barren Wort)—Yellow and crimson; elegant group of rock or border plants. 6d.

EPIMEDIUM COLCHICUM. 9d.

EPIMEDIUM IKARISO—White and yellow. 9d.

EPIMEDIUM MACRANTHUM - White, tinged violet. 9d.

EPIMEDIUM MUSSCHIANUM—White.

EPIMEDIUM MUSSCHIANUM RUB-RUM—Reddish brown. 9d.

EPIMEDIUM NIVEUM—Capital plant for forcing; white. 9d.

EPIMEDIUMPINNATUM—Bright yellow. 9d.

EPIMEDIUM SULPHUREUM—l'ale yellow. 9d.

ERIGERON AURANTIACUS—A new and fine plant with large bright orange flowers, on stems 9 inches high. 1s.

ERIGERON GLABELLUS. 6d.

ERIGERON GRANDIFLORUM ALBUM

—Aster-like white flowers, two inches in diameter. 1s.

ERIGERON PURPUREUM. 6d.

ERINUS ALPINUS—Rose colour. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

ERINUS ALPINUS ALBUS—White. 9d. ERINUS ALPINUS HIRSUTUS—6d.

ERODIUM MACRADENIUM, syn. GLANDULOSUM—Fern-like foliage and rose-coloured flowers, blotched with black. 1s. 6d

ERODIUM MANESCAVI—A showy hand-some species, purplish red flowers. 9d.

ERODIUM REICHARDI—Small and ele-

ERYNGIUM AMETHYSTINUM—() ne of the best border plants; should be in every collection; stem and flowers a fine amethystine blue. 1s, 6d.

ERYNGIUM GIGANTEUM — Effective. 6d. each; 5s. per dox.

ERYSIMUM RUPESTRE—4d. each; 3s. doz.

EUPATORIUM PURPUREUM—Branching heads of purple flowers; a gigantic perennial.

FERULA COMMUNIS — Exceedingly attractive during the early spring months, but when it has arrived at maturity it is one of the grandest hardy foliage plants in cultivation. 1s.

FUNKIA FORTUNEI—Blue-green foliage: distinct. 2s. 6d.

FUNKIA LANCEOLATA MARGINATA

—Belonging to a beautiful genus of handsome foliage plants. 9d.

FUNKIA OVATA GLAUCESCENS VARIEGATA—Gold and green foliage. 9d.



FUNKIA.

FUNKIA OVATA, syn. HEMEROCAL-LIS CŒRULEA—Large green foliage, flowers purple.

FUNKIA OVATA SINENSIS MARMO-RATA—Golden marbled foliage. 1s.

FUNKIA OVATA SPATHULATA SPE-CIOSA—Pure white, foliage green. 1s.

FUNKIA OVATA UNDULATA MACU-LATA—Golden variegated. 1s.

FUNKIA OVATA VIRIDIS MARGI-NATA—White margined foliage. 1s.

FUNKIA OVATA VIRIDIS UNIVIT-TATA—White centre to leaf. 9d.

FUNKIA SIEBOLDI—Most ornamental. 1s. FUNKIA SUBCORDATA GRANDI-FLORA—Broad green leaves and noble spikes of pure white flowers. 1s.

FUNKIA UNDULATA FOL. VAR.—4d. GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA—Flowering from early summer till late in the autumn. crimson, orange, and yellow. 1s.

GALEGA OFFICINALIS—Of free growth.

GALEGA OFFICINALIS ALBA—Strong growing, producing numerous leafy stems, 3 to 4 feet high, and producing a profusion of white pea-shaped flowers; very useful for cutting. 6d.

GENISTA TINCTORIA FL. PL.—Suitable for the rockery. 9d.

GENISTA TRIQUETRA (Triangularis)— Curious reigonal prostrate stems, and yellow peashaped flowers. 1s.

GENTIANA ASCLEPIADEA — Spikes of dark purplish blue. 1s. 6d.

GENTIANA ACAULIS—The Gentianella, charming cushions of leathery glossy foliage, from which issue numerous erect bell-shaped flowers, of intense blue. 6d. each: 5s. per doz.

GENTIANA CRUCIATA—A vigorous growing species, flowers deep blue in numerous whorls. 9d.

GENTIANA GELIDA—Tufts a foot high, with large light blue heads. 1s. 6d.



GENTIANA ACAULIS.

GENTIANA PNEUMONANTHE (Heath Gentian)—Light blue flowers; fine. 1s.

GENTIANA VERNA—It forms dense tufts of deep green glossy foliage, and in early spring is covered with brilliant blue flowers, with a white or yellow eye; succeeds best in a rich loamy soil. 1s. to 1s. 6d.

GERANIUM-See Collection.

GEUM COCCINEUM PLENUM—One of the tinest of our hardy perennials, large double flowers of a dazzling scarlet, lasting several months in flower. 9d.

GEUM GRANDIFLORUM—Veryfine. 1s. GEUM MONTANUM—A charming rock or border plant, producing showy golden yellow flowers; line, 9d.

GILLENIA TRIFOLIATA—Large panicles of white flowers. In

of white flowers. 1s.
GLAUCIUM LUTEUM, syn. FLAVUM—
Useful for winter decorative bedding. 9d.

GLOBULARIA TRICHOSANTHA — Flowers dark blue, in globular heads, 9d.

GNAPHALIUM ARENARIUM—6d. each ; 5s. per doz.

GNAPHALIUM LEONTOPODIUM (The Edelweiss)—A curious Alpine species, producing heads of flowers enveloped in a soft silky substance like cotton-wool. This interesting plant is easily grown on a raised border or piece of rockwork, in very sandy soil mingled with stones. Is.

GRINDELIA SQUARROSA—Dwarf; golden yellow. 6d.

GUNNERA SCABRA—A native of the Andes. A line plant for open spaces, on lawns, or the margin of lakes. 2s.

GYNERIUM ARGENTEUM (Pampas Grass), 9d. to 1s. 6d.

GYPSOPHILA PROSTRATA -- 6d. each: 5s. per doz.

GYPSOPHILA REPENS—A charming little rock plant. 6d.



GNAPHALIUM LEONTOPODIUM.

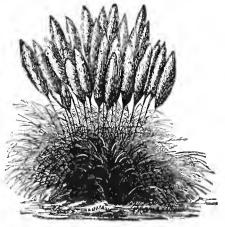
GYSOPHILA PANICULATA—Forming a symmetrical bush about 2 feet high, and covered with miniature white flowers. 6d.

HARDY FERNS—See Collection.
HARDY HEATHS—In variety. 12s. to 18s.

HARDY HEATHS—In variety. 12s. to 18s. doz.

HARPALIUM RIGIDIUM (Helianthus)—

HARPALIUM RIGIDUM (Helianthus)— One of the best of our autumn-flowering plants; flowers large, of a bright golden yellow, with a black disc; free and showy. 6d, each; 4s, per doz.



PAMPAS GRASS.

HEDYSARUM OBSCURUM-A brilliant and compact perennial; rare. 1s. 6d.

HELENIUM AUTUMNALE — Flowers large, bright vellow, and produced in abundance; very useful for cutting purposes. 6d.

HELENIUM BOLANDERI-Dwarf habit, with large yellow flowers, centre black, 6d.



HELENIUM BOLANDERI.

HELENIUM PUMILUM -- Of a dwarfer habit than the above; free. 9d.

HELIANTHEMUMS—See Collection. HELIANTHUS DECAPETALUS. 6d.

each; 5s. per doz.

HELIANTHUS GIGANTEUS-Large and

HELIANTHUS MULTIFLORUS (The Great Perennial Single Sunflower) - Grows from 3 to 4 feet high, and has a brilliant effect planted in masses, in shrubby borders and other places. 6d. each; 6s. per doz.

HELIANTHUS MULTIFLORUS PLENUS (The Double Perennial Sunflower) A vigorous growing perennial, producing large double deep yellow flowers from June to October; very useful for cutting. 9d. each; 6s. per doz.

HELIOPSIS SCABRA—Suitable for mixed border; flowers numerous, of a bright orange

HELLEBORUS ABCHASICUS ALBUS —Pale; one of the earliest. 2s.

HELLEBORUS ATRORUBENS (Lenten

Rose)—Bright rosy purple. 1s. HELLEBORUS ATROVIRENS. HELLEBORUS CAUCASICUS PUNC-TATUS-Scarce. 1s. 6d.

HELLEBORUS BOCCONI. HELLEBORUS COLCHICUS plum-coloured, with a coppery tinge. 2s.

HELLEBORUS CORSICUS—Large hand. some leaves, like a Berberis. 2s. 6d.

HELLEBORUS F. C. HEINEMANN.

HELLEBORUS FŒTIDUS. 9d.; extra strong, 1s.

HELLEBORUS GUTTATUS - White, freely spotted purple. 2s. 6d.

HELLEBORUS NIGER (Christmas Rose) -Few persons have any idea of the above plant; it is perfectly hardy, and if planted in the garden and taken up and potted when it becomes large clumps, and placed in a cold frame, it will continue to give a profusion of flowers for two months with no other trouble than the ordinary watering. 1s. 6d. each; 15s. per doz.; smaller 12s. per doz.

HELLEBORUS OLYMPICUS - White, slightly tinged green. 1s. 6d.

ORIENTALIS — Deep HELLEBORUS purple-red. 1s. each; 9s. per doz.

HELLEBORUS PALLIDUS — Creamy white, tinged green; free. 2s.

HELLEBORUS PROFESSOR DR. SCHLICHLER. 3s. 6d.

HELLEBORUS PURPURASCENS -Dove coloured; the earliest. 1s. 6d.

HELLEBORUS VIRIDIS - Sea green, handsome foliage. 2s, 6d.

HELLEBORUS WILLIE SCHMIDT-Pure white; one of the best. 3s. 6d.

HEMEROCALLIS DISTICHA FL. PL .-Bronzy yellow; flowers large and double. 9d. HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA (Day Lily)—

Golden yellow, very fragrant; fine for cutting and foreing. 9d. each; 7s. 6d per doz.

HEMEROCALLIS FULVA FOL. VAR.-Very handsome variegated foliage. 1s. 6d.

HEMEROCALLIS FULVA-Large tawnyorange flowers and handsome foliage, 4 feet in height. 6d.

HEMEROCALLIS KWANSO FLORE PLENO FOL. VAR.—Ornamental foliage; fine. 1s. 6d.

HEMEROCALLIS THUNBERGI—Bright orange-yellow. 1s.

HEPATICAS—Single blue Single white (9d. each. Single red Double red

Double blue. 1s. 6d.

HEPATICA ANGULOSA - Largest and

HIERACEUM AURANTIACUM-Flowers bright orange, in close heads; fine for

HIPPOCREPIS COMOSA—Growing freely in any exposed part of the rockwork. 6d.

HUTCHINSIA ALPINA-A neat little plant with shining leaves and pure white flowers. 9d.

HYPERICUM BALEARICUM—Curions little St. John's wort, covered with a warty excrescence, bearing numerous yellow flowers. 1s. 6d.

HYPERICUM GLANDULOSUM. 6d. HYPERICUM CALYCINUM (Rose of Sharon). 6d. each; 4s. per dox.

HYPERICUM PATULUM—Forming neat and well-shaped bushes. 1s.

IBERIS CAPITATA—Large compact heads of pure white flowers, of great substance. 9d.

IBERIS CLIMAX—Pure white, very large flowers, and compact heads: an improvement on *Corifolia*. Extra, 9d.

IBERIS CORIFOLIA—One of the finest of the evergreen Candytufts; pure white, flowers early in spring; very useful for cutting. 6d. to 1s. each: 5s. to 9s. per doz.

IBERIS GIBRALTARICA — Large compact heads of lilac and white flowers, all the winter and early spring. 1s.

IBERIS GIBRALTARICA HYBRIDA—By far the best of its section, making the grandest bed of any plant in cultivation; colour silvery white, tinged pink, plants completely covering themselves solid with bloom. 1s. each; 9s. per doz.

IBERIS LINIFOLIA. 1s.

IBERIS PERFECTION—Pure white, immense heads of flowers, decidedly the finest in cultivation: all are perfectly hardy. 9d.

IBERIS SEMPERFLORENS. 6d. each;

IBERIS SEMPERVIRENS. 6d. each.

IBERIS TENOREANA—()f dwarf growth; white flowers, changing to purple. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

IRIS-See Collection.

ISOPYRUM THALICTROIDES — White flowers, Maidenhair-like foliage. 1s.

LATHYRUS GRANDIFLORUS (Biflorus)
—The finest of the Perennial Peas, flowers very large, of a bright crimson-scarlet, produced in abundance. 1s.

LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (The Perennial Pea)—Having red flowers in bunches. 1s.

LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS ALBUS—One of the finest white flowers in cultivation for cutting purposes. 1s. 6d.

cutting purposes. 1s. 6d. LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS SPLEN-DENS—A fine dark variety. 1s. 6d.

LAVANDULA SPICATA (Lavender). 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

LIATRIS PYCNOSTACHYA (Blazing Star)

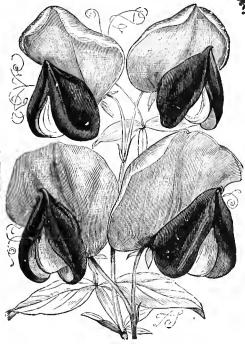
—A fine border plant, bearing long spikes of purple flowers. Is.

LIATRIS SPICATA—Purple. 6d.

LILIES—See Collection.

LINARIA ALPINA (The Alpine Snapdragon)—A pretty dwarf plant, forming dense tufts of a bluish silvery tint. 6d.

LINARIA CYMBALARIA (Ivy-leaved Toad Flax)—Pretty for dry sunny spots. 6d.



LATHYRUS.

LINARIA PILOSA—A dwarf, free-flowering perennial, well adapted for covering walls and rockwork; flowers large, and of a lilac colour. 1s.

LINARIA PURPUREA—Thrives well on dry places and on old walls. 6d.

LINUM PERENNE. 6d.

LINUM FLAVUM (luteum)—An invaluable border or rock plant. 9d.

LITHOSPERMUM GRAMINIFOLIUM (Cromwell)—Handsome, grass-like foliage, and flowers of a rich, deep blue. 2s, 6d.

LITHOSPERMUM PROSTRATUM—Rich blue; one of the best rock plants. 1s.

LOBELIAS-See Collection.

LOTUS CORNICULATUS FL. PL.—Pretty. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

LUPINUS ARBOREUS (Tree Lupin)— Fine yellow. 9d.

LUPINUS NOOTKATENSIS - Dwarf

variety. 1s. LUPINUS POLYPHYLLUS. 6d.

LUPINUS POLYPHYLLUS ALBUS. 6d. LUPINUS POLYPHYLLUS BICOLOR— One of the prettiest. 6d.

LUZULA CAMPESTRIS (Deer Grass)— Fine for the margin of water; very graceful. 6d. LYCHNIS ALPINA—A neat dwarf Alpine species; bright rose. 1s

LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA FL. PL.-Immense heads of double scarlet flowers; fine for cutting. 1s.

LYCHNIS CHALCEDONICA ALBA FL.

PL.—White; very fine. 1s.
LYCHNIS DIOICA RUBRA FL. PL.—A very handsome neat border plant, large double crimson flowers, fine for massing and cutting purposes. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

LYCHNIS DIOICA ALBA PLENA — Producing double white flowers. 2s. 6d.

LYCHNIS FULGENS-A showy perennial, about 1 foot in height; hardy and easily grown.

LYCHNIS HAAGEANA—In variety. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

LYCHNIS LAGASCÆ (Petrocoptis) -Rosy carmine; very pretty. 1s. 6d.

LYCHNIS VISCARIA. 6d.

LYCHNIS VISCARIA SPLENDENS Spikes of very double red flowers. 6d.

LYCHNIS VISCARIA PALLIDA. LYSIMACHIA CLETHROIDES - Pure white; very effective. 9d.

LYSIMACHIA NUMMULARIA(Creeping Jenny, Moneywort). 6d. each; 3s. per doz.

LYTHRUM SALICARIA ROSEUM SU-PERBUM-Fine. 6d. each; 5s. per doz.

LYTHRUM VIRGATUM—Handsome. 9d. MALVA MOSCHATA ALBA—Flowers

pure white and very fragrant. 9d.

MATRICARIA INODORA FL. PL.—The best white hardy flowering plant-all through July, August, and September-that we possess. Should be in every garden. 6d. each; 4s. per doz.

MEGASEA CORDIFOLIA—Foliage large; spikes of bright rose flowers. 6d.

MEGASEA CORDIFOLIA PURPUREA -Rich purple flowers; the finest of this genus.

MEGASEA CRASSIFOLIA MEDIA -



PURE WHITE MALLOW (MALVA MOSCHATA ALBA). (261)

MELISSA OFFICINALIS (Balm)—A very old-fashioned plant, emitting a pleasant and refreshing seent. 6d. each; 4s. doz.

MERTENSIA SIBIRICA—1s.

MERTENSIA VIRGINICA (Pulmonaria) -Tubular flowers of purplish blue colour. 1s.

MICHAUXIA CAMPANULOIDES - A remarkable and highly ornamental plant; flowers white, tinged purple. 6d.

MITELLA PROSTRATA. 1s.

MODIOLA GERANIOIDES—A charming hardy rock plant, covered with intense magentapurple flowers throughout the summer. 1s. 6d. MONARDA DIDYMA (Bee Balm)—Scar-

let; fragrant, 6d.

MORINA LONGIFOLIA - Highly ornamental, both in foliage and flowers. Is.

MYOSOTIS, in variety—See Summer flowering plants.

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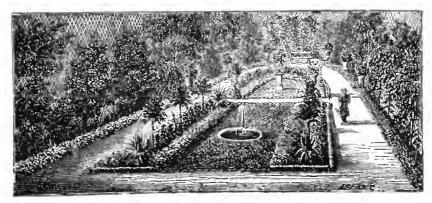
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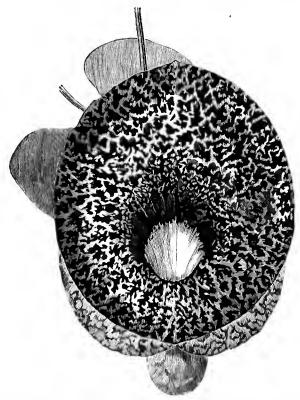
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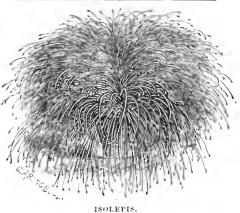
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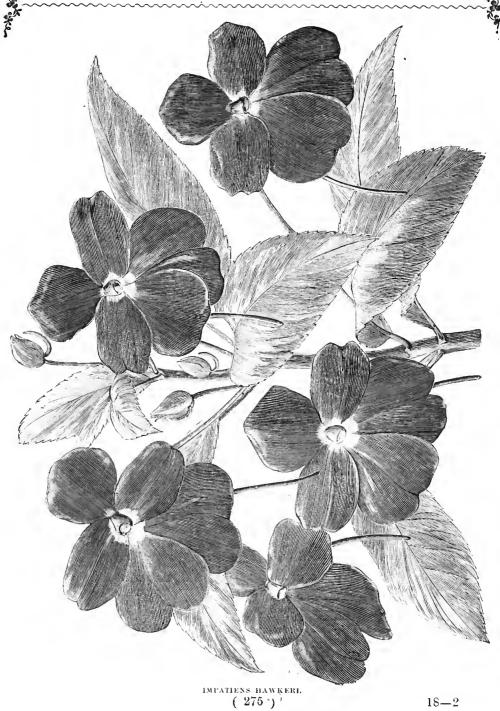
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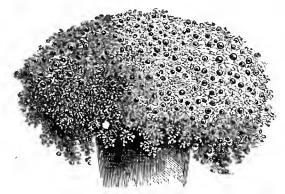
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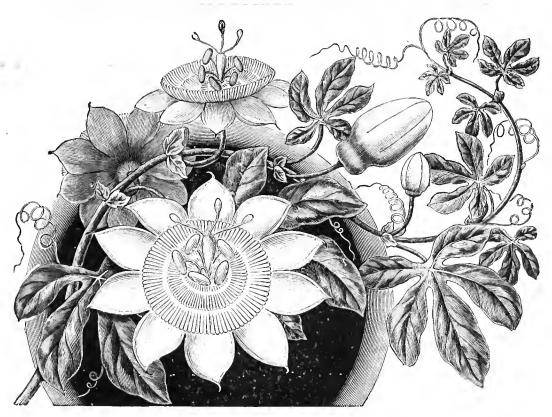
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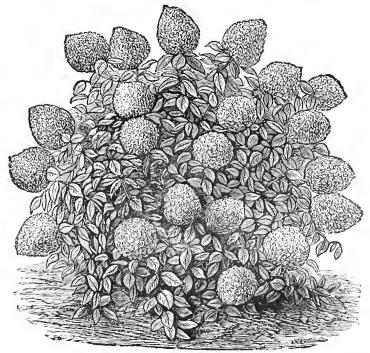
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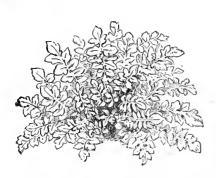
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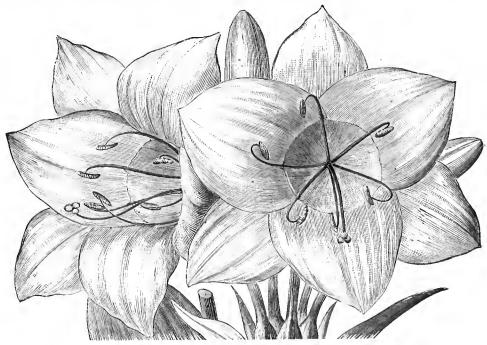
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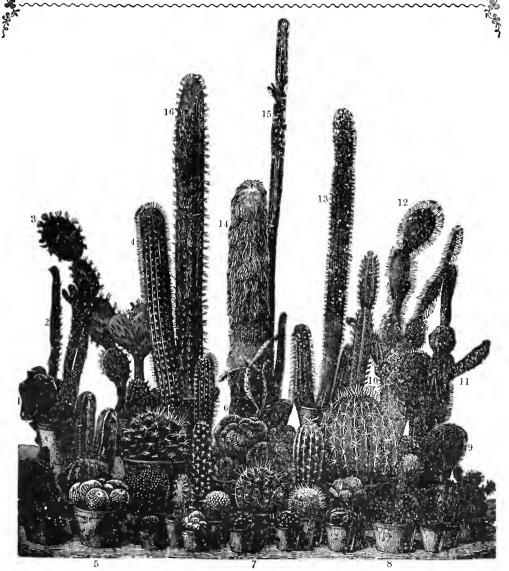


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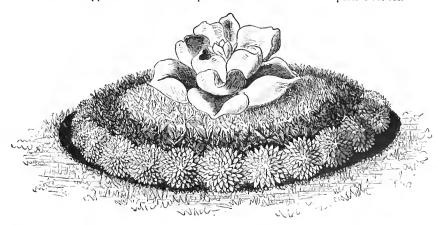
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COLLECTION OF BEDDING PLANTS FOR THE DECORATION OF THE FLOWER GARDEN ON AND AFTER 20th MAY.

For the convenience of persons who have not the time to make their own selections, we beg to say, in the first place, our whole attention is devoted to this branch of Horticulture; and as we have all kinds of new and best bedding plants as soon as they are out, and propagate them in large quantities, and only the very best older varieties are allowed to remain in our nursery, we have good reason for saying they will include plants that cannot be equalled by other florists.

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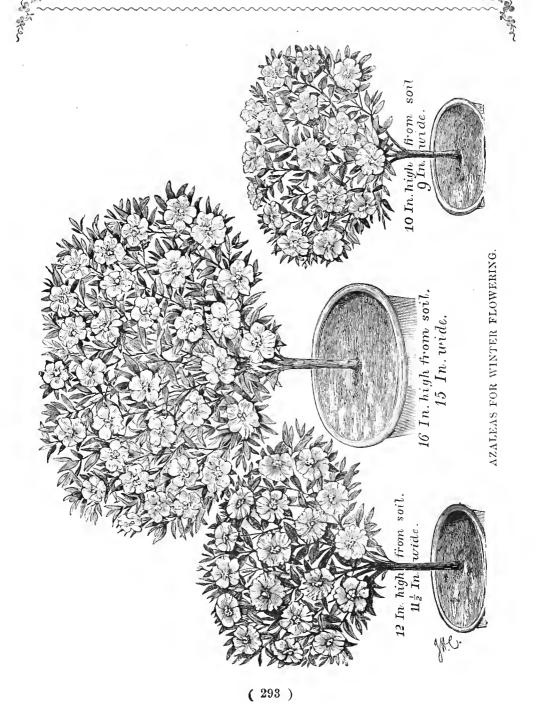
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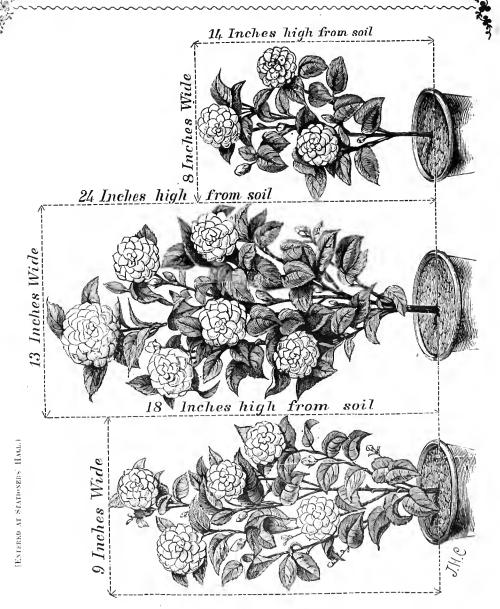
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Henry Marriott, Esq., Grove House, Granville Park, Blackheath, November 22nd, 1887. The roses arrived yesterday evening, and I thank you for the promptness with which you executed the order, and for the exceedingly fine trees and bushes you have sent. They are remarkably well rooted, and if I do not succeed next season it will not be your fault. I did wisely in leaving the selection to you. I am very well satisfied, and shall be glad to receive a memo, of my indebtedness to you.



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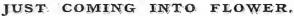


Our LILY OF THE VALLEY is quite equal to the engraving.

Mr. Kirk, Blackmoor Gardens, near Petersfield, Hunts, September 10th, 1887. The Cyclamen safe to hand. They are first class, and I am very pleased with them.

Miss Edith Robinson, Cliffe House, Tanshelf, Pontefract, Sept. 30th, 1887. I beg to own receipt of Camellias, and am very much pleased with them, and so also is my father.

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I am obliged by the last lot of nice cut flowers received, and for your kind attention.

Mrs. McClarke, 30, Clarinda Park East, Kingstown, Ireland, April 21st. 1887. Wreath arrived safely this morning, and is much admired.

Byfield Villa, Bromley, Kent, August 18th, 1887.

Mr. ROWLAND WITHERBY begs to thank Messrs. Cannell for the flowers, which much pleased him.
23, Russell Square.

Mrs. Thompson was delighted with the flowers sent.

Mr. F. H. WILMOT, 45, North Brink, Wisbeell.

My friends and I were very pleased with the wreaths, and think them exceedingly nice and cheap, as some of them expressed. Such a mass of lovely flowers.

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Mrs. Hugues. Ballinabranna, Carlow, April 30th. 1887.

For the cut flowers I thank you with all my heart, and beg to say they were admired by all. The Parish Priest was delighted with them.

Cadbolt, N.B., June 10th, 1887. Mrs. Young received the flowers in perfect condition, and is very much pleased with them.

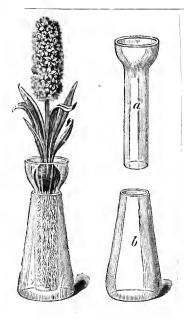
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GOW your seeds in the usual way, only cover up and keep in total darkness until they begin to peep above the soil, then gently and gradually expose them to the light. This is so feasible, that every sensible person will at once and for ever adopt it, and the success of all good seed will follow, and become a lasting practice and benefit. For years past excellent treatises have been written,

practical men have adopted shading their seed-paus with paper, and others with a glass vessel of water, various coloured glass, &c., all of which but slightly approach this system, and why it has not become a general practice long since we are wholly at a loss to say. The advantage and success of this system is so apparent, that it only requires to be once known to become universally adopted, First, when a frame, pot, or pau is covered completely, it ensures one uniform moisture and temperature; consequently every seed possessing the merest life will be sure to grow, and also save that continual watching—so necessary in the old style—and lessen to a minimum the anxiety of raising valuable seed.

HOW TO MANAGE PLANTS, ROOTED CUTTINGS, AND SEEDLINGS SENT BY POST.

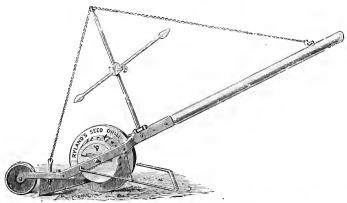
THERE persons have the convenience and sufficient experience for nursing small plants, and enjoy seeing them grow, we strongly recommend their having them sent by post, as every care is taken to grow them in such a temperature, &c., that there is no risk about their doing well with a

small amount of ordinary care, of which every particular is given below.

It must be remembered these are like young children; they must be carefully looked after, fed. clothed, and trained in the way they should go, and a little common sense exercised to ascertain their requirements, and to guard against enemies. And should they be forgotten, and get with others of bad character, it is surprising how quickly they will partake of the same habits and disease, and will soon die in sorrow and disgrace. A sweet-smelling hot-bed rather on the decline is preferable, with the heat at about 65 degrees. When you receive a box of rooted cuttings or plants, immerse them in water at the same temperature from one to two hours. When they are all refreshed, proceed to pot them into small pots, using nice, warm, sandy soil. See that the roots are separated and spread naturally out in the soil without injuring them, pressing the soil firmly. Place them in the frame, keep them shut close for a few days, be careful of damp, and admit air as they get established. Let them be slightly dried each day, but do not allow them to flag from too much air or sun. And if a person possesses a stove, or vines starting, or even a warm greenhouse, there is no more difficulty in getting them to grow under an air-tight hand-glass or wooden box with the top covered with glass, than those of their own striking or raising.

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OTHING can be so plain to see and understand—when but a mere handful of soil in pots becomes woven and interwoven with roots for months-that nothing in the shape of nourishment can remain but what is conveyed in the water from time to time for the plants to live on. It becomes perfectly apparent to all that, if vigour in growth and highly coloured blooms are required-particularly in hot weather-something beyond the ordinary water must be given, and we are quite sure that no one can grow plants in pots to attain anything approaching perfection without supplying them in some way or the other with food from day to day, and the ordinary horse, cow, or sheep manure placed in a tub and administered in a clear state, will give additional vigour; but as the strength is uncertain, and often injurious, and the smell objectionable, we have determined to offer our specially prepared "REAL MANURE," in large or small quantities, to be used once a week at the rate of 1 oz. to the gallon. All plants, after they become potbound, must be fed, and, if with the above food, the result will be marvellous and quite perceptible after ten days. Without seeing the beneficial effect of this specially prepared Manure one would be surprised at the difference; the foliage at once becomes greener and more dense,



points of each shoot put forth a greater length, more buds, and the flower assumes larger and bolder

dimensions, colour far more vivid, and the whole more attractive and beautiful.

Healthy, vigorous growth is seldom attacked with insects. This most rapid growth generally dates from the time when the first roots reach the sides of the pot until the first rootlet finds its way through the bottom of the pot; from this day onward all plants must be either shifted into fresh soil or fed in some way, otherwise the plant is hastened into premature blooming, leaves gradually turn yellow, insects attack them, and the wonder is, what is the matter. Clear water is just sufficient to keep them lingering for a time; should the weather be hot and dry they positively soon become an eyesore instead of an object of beauty. To grow plants to perfection, the art of feeding and giving a regular and sufficient moisture is the main secret, and if either is done too much or too little the object suffers by showing some slight signs of weakness, and only by close observers are those signs of yellowness detected until insects commence eating the under surface of the foliage and tender skins, and as soon as the sun shines the leaves become blotched, from the fact of the under skin and veins being severed and then scorched brown by the sap not being able to flow; hence the thousands of sickly-looking plants that abound in almost every garden. It sometimes happens that too high and dry a temperature will produce red spider and thrip, and give the like sickly appearance. If so the heatty of the plant is gone for the season, and it had better be stood out of doors in the shade. Mealy and house bugs and scaly insects can be completely eradicated by lightly brushing them with parafin oil; the slightest touch of this shrivels them up. Thrip, a small, long, brown or black insect, somewhat like the shape of a pin's point, are difficult to get rid of, and the best way not to let them come is by using our "REAL MANUKE;" and the same with the minute pest commonly called red spider. They are so small that it is only with a sharp eye, or through a magnifying glass, they can be seen moving about between the ribs of the under surface of the leaves; but we have as yet failed to see much red colour, and have often wondered why they should be so called. These mites protect themselves with an almost invisible web, and the force of water required to dislodge or break it injures the plants; their complete destruction must be a continuous fumigation for twenty four hours, and this is sure, more or less, to cause injury; therefore, if a plant is attacked it is spoiled for the season, and it is best to place it out of doors fully exposed to heavy dews, which is the only thing to clear without actually killing the plants. Want of food is the cause of market plants fading suddenly, although so beautiful when purchased. The market growers feed their plants up to the highest pitch, and if not continued they at once commence to suffer; but if our "REAL MANURE" is applied as directed, and continued, plants will flower even beyond their usual period in a surprising manner, for it really gives them, as it were, new life,

1 lb. tin, 1s., parcel post, 1s. 6d.; 3-lb. tin, 2s. 6d., parcel post, 3s. 3d.; 6-lb. tin, 4s. 6d., parcel post, 5s. 6d.

Special prices for larger quantities in bags, and also per cwt, for the garden,

From Mr. A. Hallett. Gardener to J. J. Norton, Esq., Clarence Place, Longfleet, Poole.

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"The half-ewt. Manure which was ordered on the 12th inst. is to hand, for which I am obliged. It is the best I have ever used, and I think I have tried all the manures in commerce. I do not think it is possible to grow soft wooded plants to perfection without it"

From Mr. William Toein, Gardener to W. J. Perry, Esq., Ardlin, Newtown Park Avenue. Blackrock, Dublin

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"My employer is much pleased with the Manure; anyone can see the difference in Pelargoniums, Pot Roses, and Gloxinias. Send me the largest tin you have."

From F. E. H. Jackson, Esq., Crosses, Lingfield, Sussen.

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"Please send me a tin of your 'Real Manure;' I want to increase the vigour of my Cinerarias.'

From Gravlands, Earley Station.

" March 20th.

"Mrs. Lowndes will be much obliged by Messrs. Cannell sending her a 61b, tin of their 'Real Manure.' Mrs. Lowndes has had a 1/- tin, and finds her plants much improved by the use of it."

From Mr. J. WARD, New Walk, Beverley.

"Sir,-Your 'Plant Invigorator' is the best plant Manure I have ever used."

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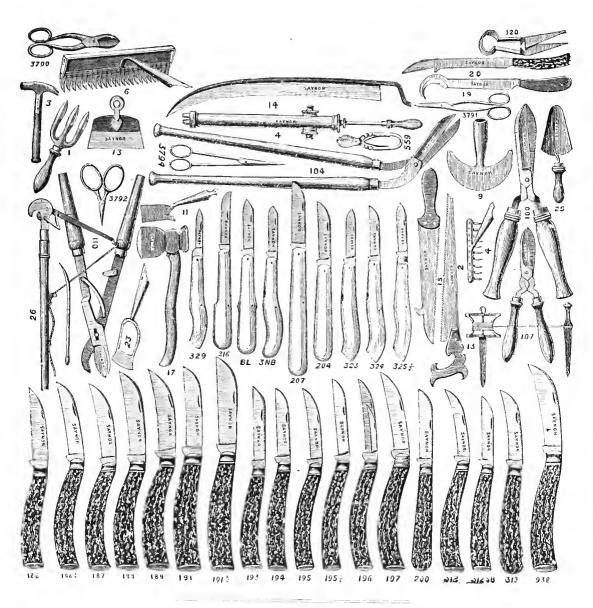
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